THE WEATHER
Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Fair Saturday and Sunday; light variable winds; probably increasing temperature.

# THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

SUN AND TIDE
Sun Rises.....7.13
Sun Sets.....4.30
Length of Day.....9.17
High Tide 4.57 am, 5.26 pm
Moon Rises.....12.39 am

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# TURKISH TRANSPORT IS SUNK

## BOY SCOUT MOVEMENT STARTED IN PORTSMOUTH

### Harold M. Smith, the Organizer, Believes the Movement Very Beneficial to Boys.

Attorney Harold M. Smith of this city has recently organized the Boy Scout movement here and he believes that it is better to confine the work to one troop for the present at least. One troop consists of three patrols, and each patrol consists of eight boys. Lawyer Smith believes that by starting on a small scale, he can gradually work it up to a very promising organization, when he finds out how the boys are working for the movement. As soon as this troop is successful he will immediately organize another troop.

The movement was started with the idea that it would be beneficial to the city at large, and especially to the boys that make up the troop.

The meetings are at present held in Lawyer Smith's office on Congress street. The details of the organization and the make-up of the staff have not been fully decided upon as

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COMING
FOR THE
LADIES
By Special Request
Watch For Monday's Paper

## FEARS STEAMSHIP LOST OFF THE ALASKAN COAST

### Mail Steamer, Dora, Not Heard From Since Dec. 3.

Valdaz, Alaska, Jan. 9—Fears that the sixty passenger sand sailors, on the mail steamer Dora, which left Kodiak for Steward, a run of 30 hours, on January 3, and has not reported, were felt here today. A terrific storm is reported off Cook's Inlet. The ship is a wooden one owned by the Alaska Steamship Company.

## SHERIFF FIGHT IS ABANDONED

### Carroll County Recount Given Up After Ballots of Two Towns Had Been Inspected.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 8—A recount of votes for sheriff of Carroll county at the November election was started this morning by Deputy Secretary of State Arthur H. Willis, but after two towns had been inspected the petitioner decided to abandon the inspection. Myron L. Johnson of Wakefield, Republican candidate was the petitioner. He was defeated by Arthur W. Chandler of Conway, the Democratic candidate, who, like County Solicitor Robert C. Murchie in Merrimack county, was the only Democrat elected on the county ticket.

## Russian Warship Sends Vessel With 900 Soldiers to Bottom in the Black Sea

### Turkish Cruiser, Acting As Convoy, Escapes Badly Damaged.

(Special to The Herald)

Petrograd, Jan. 9.—The sinking of a Turkish transport in the Black Sea, by a Russian warship, was officially announced by the Admiralty today. The transport carried, beside its crew, 900 Turkish troops, all being lost.

The transport was being convoyed by the cruiser "Medjidieh," which escaped in a badly damaged condition. The action took place near Sinopea, off the northern coast of Asia Minor.

TURKISH TROOPS MAKING OFFENSIVE MOVES AGAINST THE RUSSIANS

(Special to The Herald)

Petrograd, Jan. 8.—Shattered remnants of the Turkish forces overwhelmingly defeated at Ardahan and Sarikanish have rallied and are again taking the offensive against the Russians in an effort to save themselves from total destruction. Official dispatches state that he 10th corps of Turkish infantry are taking the offensive at Karanrgan. This town is to the southwest of Sari Kanish and is on Russian territory. The Russian forces are putting up a stiff defensive battle.

GERMAN SOLDIERS SURRENDERING TO THE ALLIES IN FLANDERS

(Special to The Herald)

Calais, France, Jan. 8.—Many famished, exhausted, and sick German soldiers who have sickened of life in the trenches and the constant dangers to which they are exposed are giving themselves up voluntarily as prisoners to the French and British in Flanders. One batch of such prisoners arrived here today and one of them, who was a barber in London before the war began, said that many German soldiers had been shot by their officers for attempting to surrender to the Allies. The Germans are occupying much lower ground both in Flanders and Belgium than the Allies, consequently they have felt the effect of the heavy rains much more severely. Most of the prisonrs who arrived here were so caked with mud that the color of their uniforms cannot be distinguished.

## GOVERNOR NAMES COMMITTEES

### Council Decides That Dr. Dolloff Will Continue Acting Superintendent of State Hospital.

Concord, Jan. 8—Governor Spaulding and council met this forenoon and announcement of several committees was made.

The committees named by the governor are as follows:

Finance—Councilors Solon A. Carter and John Scammon.

State prison—Councilors Frank Huntress, John Scammon and John B. Cavanaugh.

State house and state house yard—James B. Wallace and John B Cavanaugh.

Dr. Dolloff to Remain

At the first meeting of the board of control attended by Governor Spaulding, the letter from Dr. Crossman, relative to his appointment as superintendent of the state hospital was received, and his declination was accepted.

It was decidid to continue Dr. C. H. Dolloff, the present acting superintendent, in that capacity for the present.

Bancroft Due for a Hearing

Those close to the administration, say that Governor Spaulding is inclined to be fair in the Bancroft matter and will grant a hearing perhaps to the ousted doctor with a view to finding out what are the facts in the case. All sorts of solutions are suggested by various members of the new government, but the present disposition of the new governor is to seek all the information he can get about the matter.

LOOK ! ! ! !
An Automobile Bargain
On Saturday afternoon, Jan 9, a 1912 Buick will be on sale in front of Bass' Drug Store. This car is in fine condition, paint and tires very good. The first check for $275. takes it. Come early. ch 3t p7
Rear the Want Ads.

## JUNIOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR FORMED

The children of the Court Street Christian church met in the vestry of the church on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock and organized a Junior Young People's Christian Endeavor, with 20 charter members, whose ages range from 6 to 14 years.

It was a very enthusiastic meeting and it is hoped that this will be a good strong branch of the church.

The organization will hold its meetings each Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock and Miss Ruth Coleman is the superintendent of the work. Miss Coleman will be assisted by Rev. and Mrs. Percy Warren Caswell.

Detective Newcomb of the Boston and Maine railroad was in this city today in connection with the robbery of the local ticket office of the company.

## STOLEN TICKETS ARE FOUND

### Police Find Over 200 Which Thief Had Thrown Away.

It is estimated that the thief who robbed the Boston and Maine ticket office on Friday night, stole nearly $700 worth of tickets. The most costly were a bunch of 200 strip tickets, good for passage from this city to Newport, R. I., valued at $2.95 each. Several Merchants and Miners Transportation Company tickets were also taken, besides many for Boston and way stations along the Portland and Southern Divisions.

Shortly after the arrest of James R. Price, the man charged with the break, the bunch of Newport tickets and a few of the merchants and Miners, along with a ticket stamp, were found by the police near the railroad at the entrance of Noble's Island bridge. It is evident that Price intended to get away on the early pullman at three o'clock, as he had a ticket good from this city to Boston, and knew enough to use the official stamp on the back of the same in order that it would not be questioned by the conductor.

SALVATION ARMY.

Public meetings at the Salvation Army, 202 State street, tomorrow at 3 and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school at 1.45. All are welcome.

The weather man never behaved better.

## BRITISH NOTE NOT CONCLUSIVE

### Further Argument Needed Before a Complete Understanding Is Had.

Washington Jan. 8—Sec. Bryan late today announced the receipt of the note from Great Britain replying to the American communication of Dec. 26, respecting American commerce.

The note which is about the same length as the American communication will be made public Sunday afternoon by mutual agreement between the State Department and the British Foreign Office.

Officials of the State Department read the note carefully but agreed to make no comment on it whatsoever in advance of publication of the text. Sec. Bryan will discuss it with President Wilson on the latter's return tomorrow.

That the British communication is inconclusive in many respects and will lead to a further exchange of notes was learned from authoritive quarters.

The British note is preliminary in the sense that it is confined to a general statement of the situation in answer to the American document, and will be followed later by a more detailed statement on specific cases.

While the communication points out the peculiar necessities of belligerents in the momonentous struggle in Europe, it is phrased in a spirit of frankness and friendliness.

The sleigh parties for last night were changed to hay-rack rides.

AT OUR JANUARY REDUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, WE SALL DEVOTE ESPECIALLY TO
COATS
JUST FOUR LOTS of LADIES' and MISSES' COATS

| LOT 1 | LOT 3 |
|---|---|
| $2.89 | $6.89 |
| LOT 2 | LOT 4 |
| $4.89 | $8.89 |

Black Pony Coats
Only three to sell, a regular $50.00 Fur Coat; sale price $19.75

Infants' and Children's Coats
Were $3.75 and $4.50, now....$2.89
Were $5.00 and $5.98, now....$3.89

The Balance of Suits from Thursday's Selling are on Sale Today.

L. E. STAPLES, MARKET ST.

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE
Beginning Saturday, Jan. 9, Continuing While Bargains Last. Merchandise Entirely Seasonable Although Selling Far Below Regular Prices. Mark Downs to Be Found in All Departments.

SUITS
LADIES' and MISSES' SUITS, marked down from $25 and $22.50 to $15
LADIES' and MISSES' SUITS, marked down from $18.50 to .....$12.50
PLAIN BROAD CLOTH and DIAGONAL SERGE SUITS, from $18.50 to .....$12.50
PLAIN BROADCLOTH and DIAGONAL SERGE SUITS, from $15.00 to .....$10.00

LADIES' AND MISSES' COATS
NEW STYLE WINTER COATS, black, browns, astrachans and fur imitations, were $15, now $10.00; were $10.00, now.....$6.75
FANCY MIXTURES, belt effect, were $16.50 and $10, now $10 and $6.75
PLAIN BLUES and BLACK BROADCLOTH, odd sizes for stout people, were $25.00, now.....$12.50
BARGAIN LOT of CHILDREN'S COATS for.....$1.50

SKIRTS
BROADCLOTH SKIRTS, were $10.00, now.....$7.50
SERGE SKIRTS, blue and black, tunic effect, were $5.50, now.....$2.98
BLACK SERGE SKIRTS, were $3.50, now.....$2.50

WAISTS
TAILORED WAISTS, were $1.98, now.....69c
LINGERIE WAISTS, were $2.98, now.....$1.00
CREPE DE CHINE and SILK WAISTS, were $5.00, now.....$2.50

SWEATERS
LADIES' SWEATERS, were $5.00, now.....$3.50 and $2.98
were $6.00, now.....$2.98
were $4.50, now.....$1.98
BARGAIN LOT SWEATERS at each.....$1.00
CHILDREN'S SWEATERS, grey and blue, were 98c to $1.98, now.....50c to $1.00

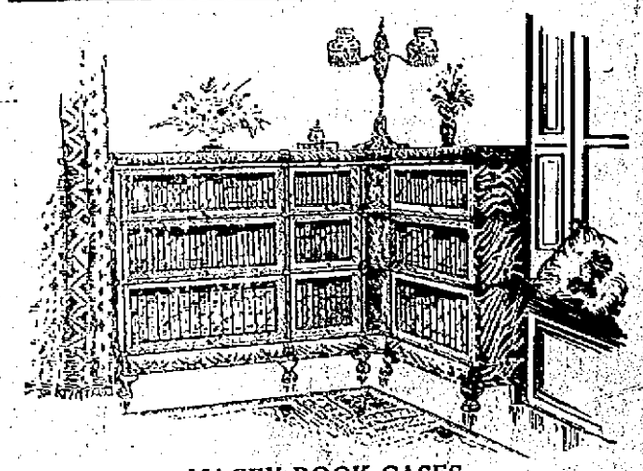
DRESSES
SERGE, CORDUROY, CREPE and SILK DRESSES, formerly sold for $5.98, $6.98, $12 and $16.50, now.....$1.98, $2.50, $7.00 and $7.50
EVENING DRESSES, plain chiffon, messaline and flower chiffon, were $19.98 and $12.00, now.....$10.00 and $5.00
HOUSE DRESSES, plain and striped, were $3.98, now.....$1.50
HOUSE DRESSES, low neck, were $1.50, now.....69c

DRESS GOODS
Including WHIPCORDS, Mohair, Wool Taffeta, Serges, Voiles and Batistes, regular prices from 50c to $1.25 a yard, now.....25c to 89c
MERCERIZED WASH GOODS, were 25c yard, now.....12½c
CLOAKINGS, worth from $1.75 to $2.98 yard, now.....75c to $1.98

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR
Lace and Hamburg Trimmed.
NIGHT ROBES
Were $ .75, now.....$ .39
Were $1.00, now.....$ .69
Were $1.98, now.....$1.50
Were $2.25, now.....$1.50
Were $3.98, now.....$2.00
CHEMISES
Were $ .98, now.....$ .69
Were $1.69, now.....$1.00
PRINCESS SLIPS
Were $1.00, now.....$ .69
Were $1.50, now.....$ .79
Were $2.00, now.....$ .89
Were $2.98, now.....$1.50
COMBINATIONS
Were $1.00, now.....$ .69
Were $1.50, now.....$ .89
Were $2.25, now.....$1.50
Were $2.98, now.....$2.00
Were $3.75, now.....$2.50
CORSET COVERS
Were $ .25, now.....12½c
Were $ .50, now.....25c
Were $ .75, now.....39c
Were $1.00, now.....50c
SKIRTS
Were $1.50, now.....$ .69
Were $2.00, now.....$1.00
Were $2.25, now.....$1.50
Were $2.98, now.....$1.50

CHILDREN'S COATS
White and Colored.
2 to 6 years.
Were $2.98, now.....$2.00
Were $3.98, now.....$2.98
Were $5.50, now.....$3.50

GEORGE B. FRENCH COMPANY



MACEY BOOK CASES
D. H. McINTOSH
Fleet and Congress Streets Portsmouth, N. H.

# LIFE PRISONER IS PARDONED

## One of the Last Acts of Gov. Felker and Council.

One of the last acts of Governor Felker and his council before retiring, was the pardon granted Charles H. Hawkins.

He was serving a life sentence at the state prison for the murder of Eva E. Brooks on December 14, 1901 at Nashua.

Hawkins was found guilty of killing Eva Brooks on March 17, 1902, pleaded guilty to the charge at the time of the trial, and was sentenced by Judge Young now of the Supreme Court and the late Judge Stone of Laconia to imprisonment at hard labor in the state prison for the remainder of his natural life.

Hawkins was well known in Nashua where he had lived for several years. He was an active member of the fire department and a man who earned large wages.

### BOWLING

**Portsmouth Brewing Co., Defeat Jones' Brewing Co.**

The long talked of bowling match between the Jones Brewing Co. and the Portsmouth Brewing Co., was rolled at the Elks alleys on Friday evening and it furnished some excitement. The Portsmouth Brewing team was right there with the goods and every man was on his game, rolling a total of 1235 and defeated the Jones team by 127 pins. Fahlive was high man with 263 and Kelley was high for the losing team. The Portsmouth team started by taking the first string by 39 pins and with this lead they they took the second by 32 and then took the third.

The scores:

**Portsmouth Brewing Co.**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Foley | 76 | 84 | 88 | 248 |
| D. Leary | 86 | 77 | 88 | 267 |
| J. Crowley | 90 | 82 | 80 | 252 |
| Fahlive | 80 | 83 | 94 | 263 |
| C. Reagan | 66 | 75 | 80 | 221 |
| | 404 | 401 | 430 | 1235 |

**Jones Brewing Co.**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Kelley | 72 | 86 | 92 | 250 |
| Crowley | 88 | 85 | 68 | 241 |
| Quirk | 69 | 80 | 76 | 225 |
| Fullham | 78 | 56 | 78 | 206 |
| Scott | 58 | 63 | 65 | 186 |
| | 365 | 369 | 374 | 1108 |

**Arcade Roll Off**

The roll off at the Arcade alleys on Friday evening was the best three strings at eight pins and Renner was high with 19. The score:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Renner | 6 | 7 | 6—19 |
| Kingsbury | 4 | 5 | 8—17 |
| Mitchell | 4 | 5 | 5—14 |
| Barney | 5 | 4 | 4—14 |
| Jackson | 3 | 7 | 4—14 |
| Balch | 4 | 5 | 4—13 |
| Northup | 3 | 4 | 6—13 |
| Lee | 5 | 5 | 3—13 |
| Welsh | 3 | 5 | 5—13 |
| Fernald | 7 | 3 | 2—12 |
| Berry | 2 | 7 | 3—12 |
| Wilson | 5 | 3 | 4—12 |
| Louder | 5 | 2 | 5—12 |
| Ball | 3 | 5 | 3—11 |
| Watson | 3 | 3 | 5—11 |
| Clark | 4 | 0 | 1—6 |

### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Thursday afternoon from one o'clock to six, found the gymnasium to be a very busy place. The high school team, in preparation for the coming basket ball series had possession for the hour, each until four o'clock, the time scheduled for the regular class work of the Juniors. There was a good number of the latter present, and the work was decidedly interesting as was shown by the spectators, who watched the exercises from the running track. From four-thirty until ten minutes of five, setting-up exercises, apparatus work upon the horse and parallel bars was indulged in; the squad on the horse being in charge of Nelson Bridges, while Richard McDonough was leader of those on the parallels. Two base ball teams captained by Scott Furber and Robert Sweetser, respectively, played a game until ten minutes after five, Furber's team winning by a score of eight to seven. From the end of the ball game until five-thirty basketball was played by the same two teams, score ending in a nothing to nothing tie.

A notice was posted upon the bulletin board announcing the checker tournament which will start Jan. 18. All names must be handed to the office before Jan. 16. Rules and regulations of the tournament will be posted later.

Friday afternoon being the opening of the basketball series, the authorities at the building are making preparations to seat the large crowd which is expected to be present. Each team has its unusual large gathering of followers, and they will be out strongly at the first games. Each team has invested in new basket ball suits which are very classy and go to show what interest is taken in the coming games.

### PORTSMOUTH MAN'S LUCKY FIND

**Will Interest Readers of The Herald**

Those having the misfortune to suffer from backache, urinary disorders, gravel, dropsical swellings, rheumatic pains or other kidney and bladder disorders, will read with gratification this encouraging statement by a Portsmouth man:

Charles E. Oliver, barber, 45 Cornhill Court, Portsmouth, says: "Standing for hours brought a constant strain on my kidneys and I finally began to have kidney complaint. My back was so lame at times that I could hardly work and I was troubled by headaches and spells of dizziness. When I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a box and began using them following the directions closely. The pains in my back and other symptoms of kidney complaint soon left and I felt much better in every way. The cure has since proven to be a permanent one. I advise everyone suffering from disordered kidneys to try Doan's Kidney Pills."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr Oliver had. Foster-Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo, N. Y.


# HEADACHE, COLDS, COSTIVE BOWELS, TAKE CASCARETS

**To-night! Clean your bowels and end Headaches, Colds, Sour Stomach.**

Get a 10-cent box now.

You men and women who can't get feeling right—who have headache, coated tongue, bad taste and foul breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have a bad cold.

Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a ten cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet; liver and bowels regular and your head clear for months. Don't forget the children. They love Cascarets because they taste good—never gripe or sicken.


### ANTI-SUFFRAGE NOTES

The New York Call, the organ of the Socialists, says on December 6: "The fight for woman suffrage in New York is bound to be an exceptionally hard one, but it is a fight which must be won, and on none does the responsibility for success fall more heavily than upon the Socialists. And the time for Socialists to begin their great campaign to which they are morally pledged is now. Socialists, remember that the mobilizing for the woman suffrage fight in New York State takes place today!"

The Chattanooga Times says: "We want every man and woman in this section to know how the suffragists view the question, the better to be able to see the absolute impossibility for such a propaganda, notwithstanding the best that can be said for it, to win in the South. Southern men have looked in vain to the suffrage states for some evidence that the quality of government and the uplift of society have been improved by this thing which is a fad of strong minded women, and they have found the contrary to be true. The doctrine of anniversary suffrage is as distasteful and and impossible in the South as are the ideals and proposals of the crassest of the feminist cult.

Woman suffrage has never won by a popular majority in any state. It "slipped through" in California by 3,500 votes, with 350,000 qualified voters neglecting to vote on the issue. The total pluralities by which suffrage won in California, Oregon, Washington, Kansas, Arizona, Montana and Nevada, from 1910 to 1914, amounted to only 51,000 votes, whereas Ohio alone defeated it by 182,000!

The suffragists never tire of saying that anti suffrage and the liquor interests are allied; but Nevada and Montana, which have just voted for suffrage are two of the wettest states in the Union. The only dry spots in Montana are the Indian Reservations which are under Government supervision. Nevada has no dry territory. North Dakota with state-wide prohibition, went overwhelmingly against suffrage. California with women voting defeated prohibition by 200,000 and voted that the question cannot come up again for eight years. In Ohio, prohibition was defeated by only 48,000 votes, suffrage by 182,000.

### COMPLIMENTARY PARTY

The wireless staff of the U. S. S. Washington on Friday entertained Chief Electrician Thomas G. Baker in command of the radio station at the local yard, the occasion being the anniversary of his birth. A big dinner was a feature of the event.

The staff of radio officers report for duty on board ship on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, after doing duty at the local station while the ship was in port. To show their appreciation of their genial chief, they arranged a surprise party to which he responded heartily. Chief Baker is the recipient of many wishes for many happy returns of the day.

# Hans Lobert is Expected to Give Stability to the Giants' Infield

New York, Jan. 9—Manager McGraw believes that Hans Lobert will give stability to his infield, as he has had a dozen years' experience in the big league and has played at short as well as at third base. Lobert joined the Pittsburgh team in 1903, when he was 22 years old and has been a major leaguer ever since. He played for a trade with Cincinnati and then was traded to Philadelphia. He made the trip with McGraw around the world with the Giants. He did not bat as well last season as Eddie Grant, one of the men who played third for the Giants, but he is a faster runner and a much better fielder.

# PETIT JURORS DRAWN

The petit jurors for the January term of Superior court were drawn before City Clerk Drew by the ward clerks on Friday evening. They are:

Ward One, Charles E. Lewis.

Ward Two, Forrest E. Knowles, August P. Simpson, and Charles E. Whitehouse.

Ward Three, Timothy Donovan.

Ward Four, Louis D. Card.

Ward Five, Frank W. Muchmore.

### BOXING NOTES

**WAS WILLING TO MEET HUGGINS**

U. S. S. Des Moines
January 8, 1915.

Editor Herald:—

Sir—It was with great regret that I read your article in The Herald last evening and I believe an answer explaining the matter would help clear up the doubts in some of the fight fans minds just why I failed to meet Huggins in the match last night.

I was not notified of the fleet regulations in regards to boxing matches until the day of the fight and did everything in my power to be allowed to go on but the executive officer would not give his consent, and would not allow me to fight under any other conditions than fleet regulations would permit, which means that if I meet Huggins it must be aboard some ship or naval station.

Am very sorry the fans were disappointed and wish to say that if arrangements can be made with the executive officer am willing to meet Huggins any place and at any time.

Thanking you in advance I remain

Respectfully
DUTCH GLOBISCH.
U. S. S. Des Moines, Navy Yard.

**CHICK WILL NOT MEET HUGGINS**

Joe Chick of Gloucester who got the decision over Young Jasper of Boston, has refused to meet Willie Huggins of the U. S. S. Leonidas, at the navy yard. Manager Morell of the Rockingham A. C. telephoned Chick on Friday and as soon as he heard that it was Huggins he was wanted to meet, he said nothing doing and finally when pressed for a reason said he drew the color line.

Huggins, who to the sailors, looks like as good a man at his weight as there is in the navy, said that he would meet either Chick or Jasper so the latter will now be challenged and he may take on the colored lad.

There is some prospect that Dutch Globisch of the Des Moines, may be able to meet Huggins. He stands ready to and by making it a naval bout with officers from his ship assigned to see that everything is alright it may be brought about in this city. The enlisted men at the yard are very anxious to see the two men meet and there are a great many here who will not miss it if it is staged.


### WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp; the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After a few applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.

THE COMING YEAR

you will do well to come to us for up-to-date shoe repairing. You will find that our

Shoe Repairing

not only has superlative qualities, but also bears money saving prices. If you don't know us and our modern equipment, begin 1915 by becoming acquainted. There's both pleasure and profit in the acquaintance.

FULIS BROS.,
157 Congress St., Portsmouth

# BUY YOUR WOOD

of the man who raises it, and save money. Office at the corner of State and Penhallow streets, open every afternoon.

JAMES C. PIPER & SON,
P. O. Box, 821, Portsmouth.
Our Telephone is 485W. Call us up and tell us your wood troubles.


### MAKE DESSERTS LOOK PRETTY

**Numerous Fancy Designs in Molds That the Woman of Taste Can Use to Advantage.**

A good-looking dessert has sponge cake or cottage pudding batter baked in oval rings, large or individual, the center filled with Charlotte russe or Bavarian cream dotted with whipped cream in fancy design; a similar design is arranged around the base of the cake. For a family meal the cottage pudding can be filled with fruit, tapioca, orange or pineapple.

Many of the hollow ring molds have fancy shapes, cones, turrets or flowers, but where pennies count the plain ones are more practical for all uses. Moreover, it takes a skillful cook to empty the contents of a fancy mold without marring it.

For special occasions there are various molds to suit. Hearts can be had in all sizes, both hollow rings and plain. Stars are easily found, and for card parties there are forms to represent hearts, diamonds, clubs or spades. Almost any flower used in decoration can be duplicated in a mold, large or individual.

For mousses it is easy to find a mold suited to its kind. Thus there are tin molds shaped like a small ham, others represent fish, straight and coiled, big and little, while some have a small chicken arranged to appear on the top when inverted. These are rather bizarre and not practical for the housekeeper with small income.

Any one who has tried to serve spinach appetizingly will welcome a new mold, star-shaped, with a press and removable bottom. The finely chopped green when dressed is put in the mold, the water pressed out through perforated bottom, which can then be lifted out for easy serving.

### NICE DISH FOR LUNCHEON

**Asparagus Omelet Is Something New, Easily Made and Is Well Worth Trying.**

Something nice for a lunch or supper is asparagus omelet. Reserve three stalks of asparagus whole, the others cut into pieces about an inch long and let all simmer in boiling salted water until tender. Melt three tablespoons butter and cook in three tablespoons flour, a scant half-teaspoon salt and a dash of black pepper. When frothy add one cup and a half of the water in which the asparagus was cooked (cooked for the purpose) and stir and cook until boiling. Heat in a tablespoon of butter and add the asparagus. Have ready yolks of four eggs beaten light and the whites beaten dry. To the yolks add ¼ teaspoon each of salt and pepper, then turn them over the whites and cut and fold the two together. Melt a tablespoon of butter in a hot omelet pan, turn in the egg mixture and when set on the bottom put the pan into the oven and let cook until no uncooked egg clings to a knife thrust into the center of the omelet. Put some of the asparagus on half of the omelet, fold and turn onto a hot platter. Put the three stalks of asparagus on top of the omelet and the rest of the asparagus and some around it. Serve at once.

### POINTS ABOUT TEA MAKING

**Beverage to Be Good Should Be Brewed in Earthen Pot, Never in a Metal One.**

Women who pride themselves on their tea making assert that tea to be good should be made in an earthen pot, never in a metal one.

Tea is never good when long standing, but in some cases it cannot be helped. It should be poured off the leaves into another heated pot and covered with a "cozy."

If cream is taken a less expensive grade of tea may be used than when lemon is preferred.

An old fashioned idea is to drop a few shavings of dried orange peel into the pot in which the tea is made. Some like this, while others believe that it spoils the flavor of the beverage.

Bits of cinnamon and two or three cloves dropped in are other ways of varying the flavor of the cup that cheers.

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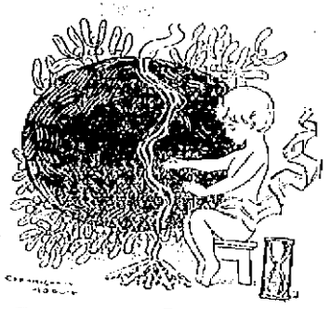

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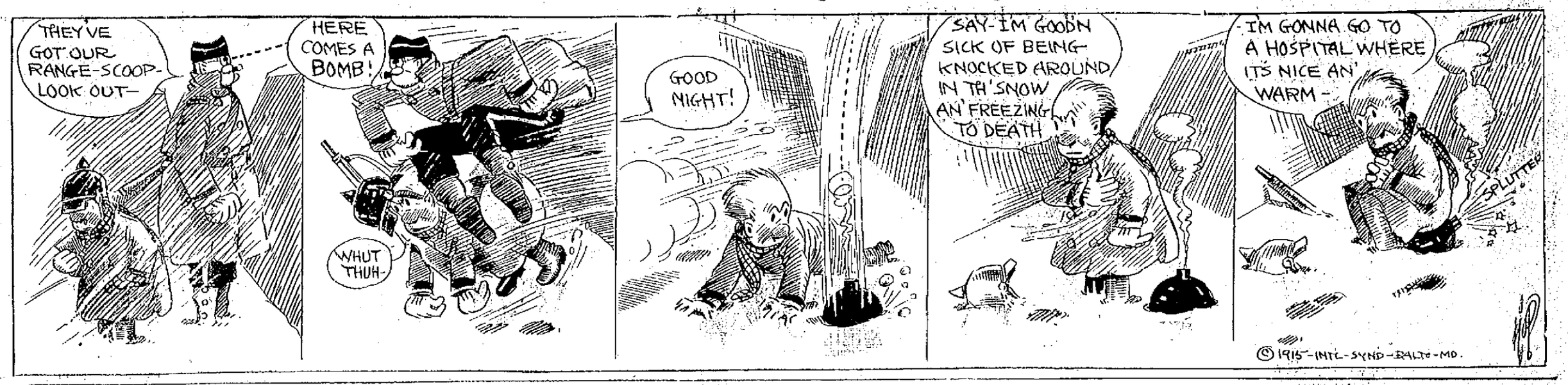


# TICKET OFFICE AT DEPOT ENTERED

## James R. Price an Ex-Soldier Under Arrest and Admits He Did the Job

Shortly before midnight Friday night officer Anderson made an important capture, when he arrested a man giving the name of Thomas R. Price. The officer saw Price at the North End and his actions were so suspicious that he placed him under arrest.

At the police station when searched, a number of railroad tickets were found in his pocket. They were local tickets and Price was given a strict examination and finally admitted that he had broken into the ticket office at the depot and had stolen the tickets, but did not get any money.

Price said that he was an ex-soldier and had been at Fort McKinley in Portland harbor, but he had been discharged and being without money he had come to this city. He claimed he broke a window in the ticket office and secured the tickets.

Officer Anderson was sent to investigate and he found that the window had been broken and the iron grating pushed back so he could crawl in. Price had extinguished the light left by the ticket agent and had then searched the office, but did not find any money, as it was locked in the safe. He made no attempt to enter the safe after finding that it was locked.

The police do not think that he was implicated in the breaks of Thursday night.

# GERMANS HAVE MURDERED CATHOLIC PRIEST

London, Jan. 8—The status of Cardinal Mercier was today the chief topic of discussion in England, overshadowing the immediate war news. The denial by Germany that the cardinal has been arrested and confined in his palace is declared by high Catholic dignitaries, including Cardinal Bourne, to be untrue. They point out the very fact that he was unable to appear, as had been arranged, at Sunday's special service at the Antwerp cathedral proves conclusively that he was under restraint.

The Belgian legation today gave out a statement in which it declared that the Catholic clergy of Belgium had suffered especially through the German invasion.

Churches had been destroyed or profaned in every city and town through which the Germans passed.

Many had been utilized as stables, the statement says, and in some cases the sacred vessels had been stolen, while priests had been shot, hanged and "subjected to abominable maltreatment."

In the diocese of Malines alone, it is claimed, 26 priests were massacred without cause, while specific instances of the flogging and torturing of others are cited.

### Cites Specific Instances

The following specific instances are given in the statement of the press bureau:

August 27—An American and a Spanish priest, among a group of 70 civilians, were dragged from place to place all day and molested, insulted and threatened with military execution. They were taken to the church at Campenhout and shut up for the night.

August 21—The priest of Duechen, an invalid 87 years old, suffering from disease, was accused by the Germans of having fired on them. He was arrested, hoisted on a cannon, tossed into a ditch, tortured and shot.

A witness deposes that he saw the priest Gelrodé brought into Aershot Aug. 24 with three wounded men. The Germans said he was an English spy and took him to the town hall. The following day they beat him with rifle butts, and then on the Demer bridge they shot him and cast his body into the river.

The priest makes the following deposition:

"Aug. 18 German soldiers swarmed into the village of Schaffen and began to burn and pillage on the pretence that shots had been fired on them. One hundred and seventy houses were burned and 27 civilians were murdered. The Germans maltreated me in every way. They erected a gallows on which they said they proposed to hang me. They thrust me into a house which was on fire, but dragged me out again. They sent me off and at a distance of 200 yards they began shooting at me. I fell and pretended to me dead, and so I escaped."

The statement concludes with these words:

"Nothing can demonstrate more clearly the tendencies of the Germans in dealing with members of the clerical body than the words of a proclamation posted by the German authorities at Grivegnee, Sept. 5, which says: "When hostages are taken the priests, burgomasters and members of the Communal administration are to be put at the head of the list."

The Rome correspondent of the Evening News says that Cardinal Gasparri, in a lengthy interview with Prince von Buelow, demanded that Germany immediately liberate Cardinal Mercier and that he have all of his rights restored to him regardless of his position on the political situation in Belgium.

Just at the present time many of the local stores are having January clearance sales.

# NAVAL PRISONER MADE HIS ESCAPE

## Under Treatment at Hospital Steals a Suit of Clothes and Makes a Good Get-Away.

John Sidell, a naval prisoner on the prison ship Southery, under treatment at the naval hospital, made his escape on Friday evening and at midnight he was still at liberty.

Sidell, who had six months more to do, has been ill, and he has been at the naval hospital for treatment, but of course under restriction.

Friday evening he was missed and a search made of the hospital, but no trace was found, and it was discovered that a suit of civilian clothes belonging to one of the attaches of the hospital had been stolen.

Then an alarm was sounded on the fire alarm, which closed every gate out of the yard, and the marine guard was turned out and a thorough search of the yard made, but no trace of the missing man was found. How long he had been away from the hospital was not definitely known, but it was evident that he had gone out by the main gate.

The clothes he stole were much too small for him, but this did not prevent his escape.

The local police were notified, and a guard sent over and a detachment was also sent to Kittery, but there was nothing doing.

# PLANNING PANAMA CELEBRATION ON PROMISES

Washington, Jan. 8—Administration officials are going ahead today with plans for the celebration, incident to the formal opening of the Panama Canal next March, virtually certain that funds necessary therefor will be forthcoming from Congress.

Assurance of this was in effect, given to President Wilson by Democratic and Republican leaders in Congress, who were summoned to the White House late yesterday to confer with him relative to the celebration.

The President outlined to the delegation tentative plans for the celebration, which had been laid before him by Secs. Bryan, Garrison, and Daniels, calling for an estimated appropriation of $250,000 to defray expenses of the celebration. He asked that this amount be provided for by Congress.

The delegation approved the plans and expenditures.

Plans for the celebration include the entertainment of visiting officers of foreign fleets which are to participate in the naval review and pass through the canal, if that is possible, and the transportation of the fleet and visitors.

It also was agreed that, despite the possibility that the naval parade through the canal cannot be held, as suggested recently by Col. Goethals, because of slides, preparations should be gone ahead with without regard to such a contingency.

Those who conferred with the President included Senators Overman, Hoke Smith of Georgia and Gallinger and Representatives Underwood, Mann and Sherley.

### VETERAN OFFICER TO RETIRE

Inspector Michael C. Shields of Boston, Well Known Here to Leave Active Work.

Inspector Michael C. Sheilds will probably sever his connection with the Boston police department at roll call Monday night, on the day following his completion of 34 years of continuous service.

The veteran inspector is well known here.

Since 1894 he has been at headquarters, being assigned there from the East Dedham street station. He has been noted for arrests of thieves during his years at headquarters and has recovered property valued at many thousands of dollars.

The inspector solved the Sawtelle murder mystery in 1890 at a time when the whole country was stirred by it. At that time Shields was attached to station 5, and although the crime was committed in New Hampshire he was detailed to follow a Boston end of the case with the result that he found and arrested Isaac Sawtelle, who had murdered his brother Hiram and later died in jail.

The apprehension of Clyde G. Bruhn, a famous criminal, was another of Shield's noteworthy cases. Bruhn was caught in South Boston by the inspector and was wanted on many charges, house breaking among them, but he escaped later from the authorities in a sensational manner. Bruhn came to this city on a yacht to Kittery Point, and here, when surprised by the police, made a remarkable escape. Inspector Shields came here on the case and was here several days.

The retiring inspector was born in Ireland, April 6, 1851. He came to this country with his parents when he was 13 years of age, living with them first in Toledo and later in Boston. In 1881 he was appointed a police officer at the East Dedham street station. His appointment as inspector followed his transfer to headquarters by about six months.

He leaves the department at the age of 64. Chief McGary and Superintendent Pierce both speak highly of him. He will live at his home on Regent street, Roxbury, and is not planning to take up work again, immediately.

### MR. AND MRS. TRAFTON ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Trafton were the host and hostess at a social given by them at their Kent street home, Tuesday evening. Vocal and instrumental music and card games were the mediums of entertainment. The party departed at a late hour and declaring their host and hostess to be most able entertainers. Among those present were the Misses Julia Driscoll, Marion Reardon, Margaret Reardon, Mary Brooks and Messrs. William Cameron, John Kiley and E. Ebner.

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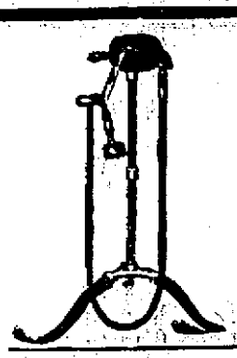
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Portsmouth, N. H., Saturday, January 9, 1915.


## Down the Star Chamber.

A New York newspaper complains of "star chamber" proceedings on the part of the school board of that city in the trial of a teacher who had been suspended for writing a letter to a newspaper in which she spoke satirically of certain acts of the board. The board felt that the act could not be ignored and its newspaper critic had no quarrel with that proposition, but it did object to the holding of the hearing behind closed doors on the ground that the whole matter was public business and that the public had a right to all of the details, whatever the merits or demerits of the case. In an editorial on the subject the paper said among other things: "Those who do not take note of tendencies find themselves presently face to face with facts. The tendency of the times in democratic America as well as in monarchistic Europe is toward star chambers and censorships. There is an attempt on the part of those in authority to deny the right of criticism, to suppress the truth and to establish deadly assizes in a corner far from public view."

Another newspaper criticises censorship by the government of certain news from Mexico and the Philippines, and these things go to show that the American people do not take kindly to any attempt to keep public business in the dark.

So far as the federal and state governments are concerned there is comparatively little to complain of in the way of suppressing facts to which the public is entitled. The worst abuses in this direction are found in municipalities, some of whose officials consider themselves so supreme as to be in a position to judge what shall be given to or withheld from the public. Every newspaperman knows that there are times when it is not easy to gather from such officials details of public business when the information sought may be of a character not entirely agreeable to the officials, but the withholding of any matter of public concern is not in accordance with a democratic form of government or the public interest, and the people will do well to set the seal of their disapproval upon the tendency spoken of before it becomes any more pronounced. Public officials are public servants; public affairs are the people's business, and they have a right to know how it is being done.

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The "horrible conditions" of the prisons of the country is receiving a good deal of attention just now and Sing Sing comes in for its share, but a New York paper in reporting the return to his home in that city of a man who had served a little more than a year and a half of a term of three years and six months said he did not look as though he had been harmed physically in the least and that he was "as sturdy and ruddy as when he went away in the custody of the sheriff, vehemently protesting his innocence." Crocodile tears over prisoners might well be suppressed so long as there are thousands of people that have never broken the laws who are not so well fed and cared for.

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Arizona voted "dry" at the last election and the law went into effect January 1 in spite of the efforts of some of the citizens to head it off by an appeal to the courts. The polls is the place for the settlement of this question, and the people of Arizona would make a better appearance by standing up to the results of their own work like men.

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Serious coasting accidents are reported almost daily in different parts of the country, trolley cars and automobiles playing a part in some of them. Coasting in streets through which such vehicles run should be strictly prohibited. The youngsters will do damage enough when in full possession of the course.

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It is understood that the California legislature will not attempt any anti-Japanese legislation at the present session, the members having a lively sense of the necessity of keeping the peace with all the world until after the close of the exposition. But if failure to stid up Japan is a good thing now, why not all the time?

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The government announces that an admixture of turnip with horseradish will be considered an adulteration under the pure food law. This is not because the adulteration weakens the preparation, for there are turnips that seem even stronger than horseradish.

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A Chicago packing company has been indicted by the grand jury at Albany for holding food products in cold storage more than ten months. Why this was done will be a puzzle to the average person, in view of the prices that have prevailed during that time.

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Those Panama canal landslides are troublesome, and it begins to look as if they might prevent the proposed battleship parade in connection with the formal opening. This would be bad, but it might be worse.

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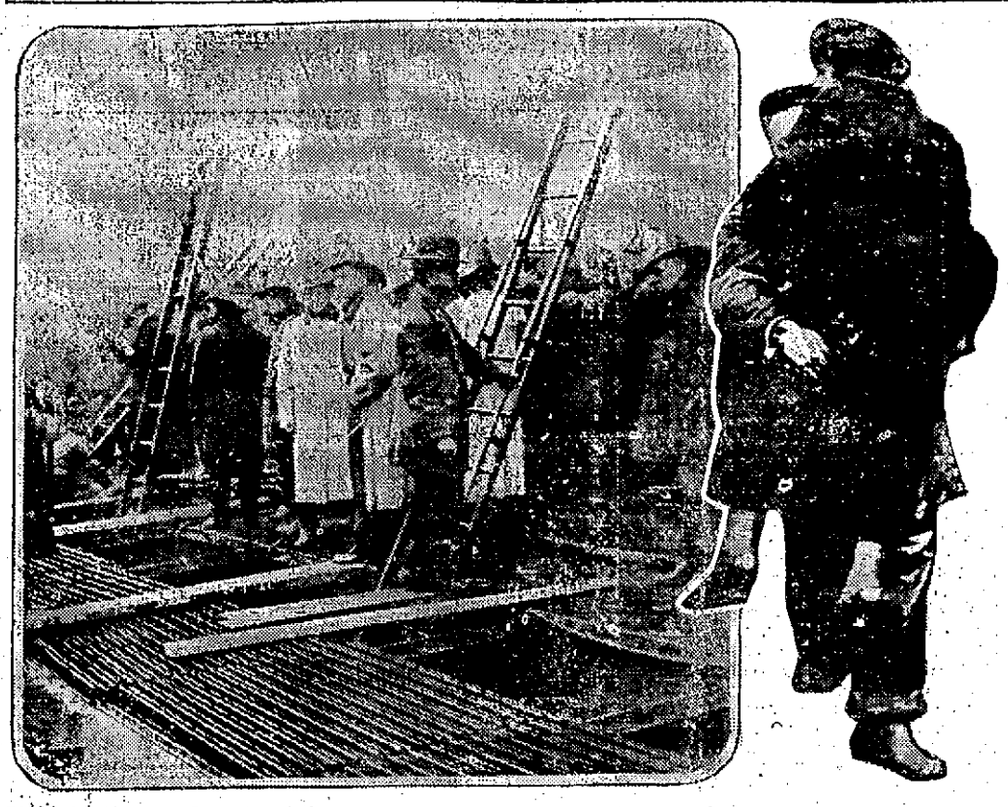
Of course, the present correspondence between Uncle Sam and John Bull is not a formal part of the celebration of one hundred years of peace.

# First Fatal Subway Disaster In New York City Caused by Fire; Many Heroic Rescues Made.



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Hundreds of lives were endangered, many were rendered unconscious and at least one woman was killed in the first serious disaster in New York city's great subway system. The main feed wire fuse blew out at Fifty-fifth street and Broadway, in the heart of New York's automobile district. Instantly the entire subway system, with thousands of persons going to their daily work, was held up and soon plunged in darkness except from the dim light of the oil lanterns carried by the trainmen. Fire started at the point where the fuse blew out. Hundreds of city firemen and policemen began the rescue work. Nearly 200 passengers were rushed to hospitals. Hundreds of women fainted as they were brought up on ladders lowered through the gratings in the street. Many in stalled trains between stations spent a few hours of agony while the smoke and gases nearly suffocated them. The picture at the left shows ladders by which the firemen carried many out. The other picture shows a fireman carrying an unconscious woman to a nearby automobile place which was turned into a temporary hospital.

# ISSUES FIRST PROCLAMATION

## Jan. 15 Named by Governor as Health Day in This State.

Concord, Jan. 9—Governor Spaulding put in a good part of Friday shaping up matters for the new administration. He returned to the old practice of having the Secretary of State, who is Edward N. Pearson, present at the meeting.

The governor issued his first proclamation at this meeting, fixing January 15 for "Health Day". The proclamation follows:

"In accordance with a recent, but worthy custom, I recommend the observance of "Health Day" on Friday, January 15, 1915, and I ask our schools, our churches, our societies, associations and individual citizens to take time on that day to consider how our state may free itself from disease and may utilize to the utmost its natural possibilities as a source of that physical vigor which adds so much to the joy and the value of life."

# ELIOT

Miss Anna Winton spent the holiday season with Miss Elizabeth Bartlett. She returned to her duties in Boston on Thursday. Miss Winton suffered from a severe attack of tonsilitis while visiting here.

Arthur Merrill of Boston was in town to attend the funeral of James Bartlett on Tuesday.

Mr. John Buck and Postmaster Fogg attended the production of Robin Hood at the Portsmouth Theatre on Wednesday evening.

Leighton Wilson has finished his work at A. A. Stringer's and secured work with Roy DeCoff.

The Boston and Maine Claim Agent Mr. Clere, was in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Ann Swasey of South Berwick was found in an unconscious condition in her home, Thursday morning by neighbors. She had evidently suffered a shock during Wednesday night and in an attempt to get out of bed, had fallen, as her body lay partly on the bed and partly on the floor when found. Mrs Swasey lived alone for many years, since the death of her husband. She was a former resident of Eliot, being born here, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eben Plaisted, who were among the oldest families of Eliot. Some years ago she lost her farm buildings by fire. Since that time she has made her home in South Berwick. Because of her advanced age no hope is entertained for her recovery. She is about 86 years of age.

Miss Sadie Hill has returned to her home in East Wakefield after a visit of several days with Mrs. John W. Staples.

Quite a few attended "Robin Hood" at the Portsmouth Theatre on Wednesday evening and greatly enjoyed it. The 11 o'clock car ran to Eliot Depot by special request, to accomodate some of the party. On theatre nights this car should advertise to run through to Rosemary Junction, with the cars placarded to that effect, also advertising the play along the line. The theatre managers would do well to see that this is done for their profit as well at that of the people of Eliot.

# JUDGE PIKE WILL PRESIDE

## Regular Term of Superior Court Will Commence Jan. 19.

Exeter, Jan. 8—Superior court will come in Jan. 12, when Chief Justice Robert G. Pike will hear court cases remaining from the October term. The regular January term will commence on January 19, with Chief Justice Pike on the bench. The docket contains 356 civil actions, 127 equity cases and 36 state actions and appeals.

It is not likely that the January term this year will be a long one as many of the attorneys are at the legislature.

### SERVICE WITH STEREOPTICON.

At the North Church on Sunday evening there will be given the second in the series of studies of great religions in comparison with Christianity. This week the study is of Buddhism, the religion of Resshism. The subject will be illustrated by the stereopticon.

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# ADAMS WILL BE THE HEAD

## Appointed Industrial Manager at the Navy Yard.

The secretary of the navy, on Friday assigned Naval Constructor Lawrence S. Adams as Industrial Manager of the Portsmouth Navy yard, an appointment most gratifying to the workmen of the station and the people of this city. Portsmouth is the fourth station to be reorganized under the new system, whereby the commandant, naval line officer, commands the station and directs all military features, while the purely industrial administration is under the direction of a naval constructor or an engineer officer. The other yards already reorganized are those at New York, Norfolk and New Orleans.

Constructor Adams comes from California and graduated from the Naval Academy in 1891. He was appointed constructor in 1896 and has served in the Philippines, being assigned to duty at Cavite and Olongapo stations. At the latter place in 1909 he supervised the sunken steel dry dock and was commended by the department for his able work, which saved considerable money to the government.

Mr. Adams came to the local yard on March 4, 1912 from the Bath Iron Works where he had been acting as superintendent of ship construction. Since being attached here he has worked early and late for the best interests of the hull division and the yard in general.

In the matter of ship construction work for Portsmouth, he has never been found wanting and has continually kept before the eyes of the department at Washington the advantages of the local yard in this line. As the head of the hull division he has always had the esteem and respect of his assistants of the construction corps, civilian foremen and the workmen who believe that the department made a most excellent in Constructor Adams.

The new system will likely go into effect sometime during the next four weeks.

# NAVY YARD NEWS

### Vessel Movements

The Pontiac has arrived at New York.

The Rhode Island at New Orleans.

The Cheas at Philadelphia.

The Maryland at San Diego.

The Orion at Norfolk.

The Tennessee at Jaffa.

The Cleveland has sailed from San Diego for the west coast of Mexico.

The Raleigh from Mazatlan for San Blas.

The Mars from Honolulu for Guam.

### Naval Orders

Commander J. M. Power, retired, from navy department, to command naval station, Samoa.

Lieut. Commander W. B. Wells, the Georgia to command the Celtic.

Lieut. Commander R. E. Lackay, Norfolk yard to the Georgia.

Lieut. H. R. Stary from command the Paterson, to engineer officer of the Brooklyn.

Ensign O. L. Wolfard, the Minnesota to the Hancock.

Lieut. H. M. S. Clay, the Des Moines to temporary duty, the Brooklyn.

P. A. Surgeon C. A. Moran, the South Dakota to the Buffalo.

P. A. Surgeon W. S. Hugh the Buffalo to the South Dakota.

P. A. Surgeon W. H. Halsey, the Tonopah, home, wait orders.

Boatswain A. N. Anderson to the receiving ship at Puget Sound.

Chief Machinist H. E. White to the New York yard.

Machinist J. Donaldson, receiving ship at Norfolk to the Neptune.

Chief Carpenter J. A. Lord, New York yard to the Baltimore.

Machinist H. Kostec, the Washington to the South Carolina.

### Land Duty at Prison

Lieut. C. H. Morse, U. S. M. C., has been detached from the U. S. S. Vermont and ordered to the naval prison.

### More Guard for Prison

A detachment of 45 marines, including 1 sergeant, 1 drummer, and 42 privates from the Brooklyn yard, arrived for the naval prison today. They were in command of First Sergeant James Galvin.

### Met Their Approval

The report that Constructor Adams will be industrial manager of the yard met with general approval by the station employees today.

### Will Stop for Ammunition

The flagship Washington, which is expected to call on Monday morning from the yard, according to the latest orders, will stop at Nantasket Roads for a supply of ammunition.

### Returning After Sick Leave

Raymond B. Randall, smith's helper, Joseph W. Witham, hoorer, Hugh McKay, laborer in hull division, and Joseph W. McWilliams, laborer in public works, return to duty on Monday after sick furloughs.

# CRYSTAL TEMPLE INSTALLS OFFICERS

## Pythian Sisters Lodge Have Largely Attended Meeting.

Crystal Temple, No. 36, Pythian Sisters, held an enthusiastic and largely attended meeting at their hall last evening. The following officers were installed by Temple Deputy Louie G. Macdonald, assisted by Past Chief Ella P. Smith as Grand Senior and Past Chief Helen V. Hoyt as Grand Manager: Past Chief, Annie J. Ham; most excelent chief, Agnes M. Harrington; ex-senior, Addie E. Carll; ex-junior, Louise B. Hannaford; manager, Merle Higgins; M. of R. and C., Grace I. Forsythe; M. of F., Mildred A. Merrill; protector, Mollie E. Sterling; guard, Gertrude L. Freeman; drill master, George A. Macdonald; trustee for 3 years, Louie G. Macdonald. The convention of District No. 2, which includes Dover, Rochester, East Rochester, Portsmouth, Exeter, New Castle and North Hampton, will be held with this Temple, March 12, and Crystal Temple are to exemplify the degree work.

The refreshment committee for the coming year is composed of Helen V. Hoyt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heiser, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Grace, Edward Hoyt and Ella P. Smith.

Entertainment committee—Grace I. Forsythe, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hannaford, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. John Carll.

Past Chiefs Mabel A. Cox and Mildred A. Merrill were each presented with a Past Chiefs' jewel, by M. E. C. Agnes M. Harrington. At the close of the meeting refreshments of sandwiches, assorted cake and coffee were served by the committee in charge.

### ACCOMPANIES BODY OF AUNT TO NEW YORK

Mrs. Mary E. Sherburne of Portsmouth Plains and Col. John Pender left this morning on the 6.20 train to accompany the body of their aunt, Eliza G. Paton, to Amsterdam, New York, for burial. The deceased has lived for many years with her niece, Mrs. Sherburne, and was 94 years old.

# CURRENT OPINION

## Japan Has No Desire to Own the Philippine Islands.

It is often said of Japan that she has been eager to take the Philippine Islands from us. Recently I saw a statement in a paper attributed to a Mr. Price in which he said that the Japanese say they must take the Philippines, even if they had to fight. Now, I've talked with a good many Japanese on the question of the Philippines, and not one ever expressed the thought that it was desirable for Japan to have those islands. I have never seen a single article in a Japanese paper expressing that desire. Japanese have told me that they didn't want the islands.

I have been assured that the Japanese authorities were very glad to have the United States in possession of the Philippines, as they felt that the presence of the United States was a steadying factor making for the peace of the Orient rather than the reverse.—By Rev. Dr. Sidney N. Gulick, American Missionary, Twenty-Six Years in Japan.

# LEGISLATURE IS AFTER WARREN OF ROCHESTER

## Plans to Notify Governor that Office of Insurance Commissioner Is Vacant.

Concord, Jan. 9—Plans have been formulated for proceedings to address Insurance Commissioner Joseph Warren of Rochester out of office, according to statements of members of the house today. The resolution will be introduced next Tuesday in all probability, and with the big working majority of the Republicans, it is expected by those in the movement that it will go through both branches easily, if not quietly.

It will be the first instance that the method of removing a state office-holder since the memorable session in the seventies when there were general ousstings of patronage, purposes with the changing party administration. The action will be a fulfillment of threats made very time Warren was mentioned for the many places at the disposal of Governor Felker and his council during the past two years. That was about as often as any good job loomed on the council horizon.

Those behind the proceeding declare that Governor Spaulding is not averse to the action. The resolution will provide that the governor shall declare the office of insurance commissioner vacant. No specific charges are necessary, and it is not improbable that none will be advanced in the debate of the resolution, unless the minority starts something. The reason, if any is given, undoubtedly will be that Commissioner Warren is not an insurance man and therefore is unfamiliar with the duties of the office.

# RAILROAD NOTES

Traveling auditor John W. Marden is at the local Boston and Maine ticket office today where he is engaged in auditing the accounts upset by the loss of tickets and a small sum of money, which were stolen on Friday night.

A new type of bridge guard, an invention of B. F. Pickering, supervisor of bridges and buildings, is being tested out on the Portland division at Salem tunnel, and the east end of the depot in this city. The guard is constructed of wire and replaces the rope and leather devices which have been in use many years. The wire arrangement so far has worked with great satisfaction.

The wrecking train was called out twice on Friday. The first call was from Rockingham and the second to replace a car on the rails in the local freight yard.

Superintendent John Rourke and Trainmasters Twombley and Morey, of the Portland division, Boston and Maine, will be the guests of Conductor H. B. Colbath at his camp on the lake, near Wolfboro on Sunday.

Asst. Manager William Lamontagne of the Armstrong Depot Cafe will pass Sunday at his home in Sanborville.

### OBSEQUIES

#### Charles H. Pickering

The funeral of Charles H. Pickering was held from the Newington church today at 2 p. m., Rev. Dr. Roble of Greenland officiating. Interment was in Newington cemetery, in charge of Undertaker O. W. Ham.

#### Eliza J. Peyton

The remains of Eliza J. Peyton were sent to Amsterdam, N. Y., this morning for services and interment, following prayers at the home of her neice, Mrs. Frank Sherburne, on Friday afternoon by Rev. Lucius Thayer. O. W. Ham was the officiating undertaker.

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# KITTERY GRANGE INSTALLATION

## Deputy and Mrs. Charles Gale of Eliot Conduct Work.

The installation of the officers of Kittery Grange for the ensuing year took place on Friday evening in Grange Hall, in the presence of a large assembly. The officers installed were:

Worthy Master—A. H. Brackett.
Overseer Pro tem—Raymond Packard.
Lecturer—Mrs. H. C. Moody.
Steward—H. C. Moody.
Asst. Steward—Eugene Hayes.
Chaplain—Mrs. A. H. Brackett.
Treasurer—Mrs. Grace Moore.
Secretary—Miss Lillian Goodrich.
Gate Keeper—Charles Trafton.
Ceres—Mrs. Carrill Burnham.
Pomona—Miss Allie McIntire.
Flora—Miss Jennie Hayes.
Lady Asst. Steward—Miss Ethel Moore.

The work was done by Deputy and Mrs. Charles Gale of Eliot.

Remarks were made by Mr. Gale, and Mr. David Cheney. Several selections were rendered by the chorus. There were many visitors present from Eliot, Portsmouth and South Berwick.

Later a very excellent supper was served by the ladies, with the following committee in charge: Mrs. Carroll Burnham, Mrs. George Frost, Mrs A. H. Brackett, Mrs. Jennie Hayes, Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham, Mrs. George Frary, Mrs. Edward Mayo, and Miss Allie McIntire. The menu:

Cold roast pork, baked beans, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, pickalilli, rolls, pies, puddings, coffee and fruit.

### NEIL O'BRIEN

With a complete equipment of new scenery, all new wardrobes, almost an entirely new company and with all new features, Neil O'Brien and his Great American Minstrels will be the attraction at the Portsmouth Theatre, Thursday, January 14.

This is O'Brien's third year at the head of his own organization which during that time has been ably conducted by his young manager, Oscar F. Hodge, and is now firmly established as a standard theatrical attraction, the appearance of which can be looked forward to with pleasure and confidence by the skeptical theatregoer who has learned to select his theatrical menu with greater care than formerly. Mr. O'Brien's first two years as a minstrel star has done much to revive an interest in this time-honored amusement, an interest created by the splendid, high class performances given by Mr. O'Brien and his associates and has probably lifted minstrelsy to a greater and loftier position than it has ever enjoyed. It is Mr. O'Brien's aim and ambition this season to present an absoultely perfect minstrel entertainment and with that idea in view he has secured a company of artists that would indicate a reckless disregard for salaries. Headed by the inimitable Neil O'Brien, the list of comedians is an imposing one, including the re-appearance on the minstrel stage of Harry Von Fossen, one of the cleverest end men and monologists that minstrelsy has ever boasted. Then there is Eddie Mazier, with the infectious laugh and mirth-compelling jest, now in his third year with this company, Pete Detzel, grotesque and absurd, but always funny, and little Major Casper Nowalk, in addition to Doran and Strong and a score of others.

The first part scene this year is designed after the latest art craze and is called "The Futurist Atelier," and as a color scheme is something entirely new to minstrel settings. The costuming follows the same general idea. From a musical viewpoint, the singing ensemble is promised as ambitious. No less than a dozen soloists of note comprise the triple quartette of singers. Other notable singers are David Morris, a phenomenal bassa, James Barardi, tenor; Leslie Berry, baritone; Charles R. Wright, tenor; Jonathan Haw, tenor, F. B. Hodges, basso; Billy Curran, tenor and a trained chorus and special orchestra under the leadership of Frank Furrer.

For the allo Neil O'Brien has written another of those characteristic sketches of negro life for which he is justly famous. He calls it "Demon Rum or a Dry Town." As its title implies, it deals with the liquor question in a humorous manner and gives the star and several of his principal comedians wide latitude for some fast and side-splitting fun-making. There is also a big new dancing number staged by Pete Detzel which is interrupted by several novel feature acts including the appearance of George F Peduzzi, a famous European female impersonator, now making his first American appearance with this company. Harry Von Fossen is presenting a monologue which is promised as a howl of merriment while the concluding feature is in the nature of a surprise and enlists the services of the entire company and some very beautiful scenic embellishments.

# BOY SCOUT MOVEMENT STARTED IN PORTSMOUTH

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yet, but the members of the first troops have all joined.

The citizens of Portsmouth and The Portsmouth Herald extend their best wishes for the success of the movement in this city. Much credit is due Mr. Smith for his interest in organizing the work for the benefit of the boys and the entire city at large.

## PORTSMOUTH THEATRE PROGRAMME

For Friday and Saturday

"The Stenographer"—Edison drama

ACT—Mlle Tuttle's Singing and Talking Parrots.

"Snakeville's Rising Sons"—Essanay Comedy.

Mustang and Slim are on friendly terms. The same may be said of their wives, and when Slim's wife informs him that it is Friday the 13th, he scorns her.

"The Product"—Vitagraph Drama

It produces wealth for one man, misery for another. Maurice Costello featured.

ACT—"The Nine Melody Boys" in "A Night in a Cabaret."

"Sweedie Collects for Charity"—S and A comedy.

"The Lesson of the Flames"—Edison Drama.

In need of work she looks and gets it, only to find that she is working in a fire trap. A thriller.

The film, "Two Women" which was to have been shown on January 13th, has been cancelled until a later date. Watch for it.

Coming—"The Locked Door,—Vitagraph Broadway star feature.

### OBITUARY

**Stephen L. Davis**

Stephen L. Davis, a resident of Maplewood avenue, passed away on Friday night at the Portsmouth Hospital, where he had been confined but a short time for treatment. Deceased was a ship joiner by trade and one of the old school of mechanics. For several years he was employed in the car shops of the old Eastern railroad at Salem, Mass., and later filled the position of foreman car inspector in this city for the Boston and Maine.

He is survived by three sons and one daughter, Wilbur of Malden, Ivan and Warren of this city, and Miss Elizabeth Davis, the well known organist and music teacher, also of Portsmouth.

# KITTERY

## Breezy Items from the Village Across the River.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**

Sunday, January 10, North Kittery, Rev. H. G. McCann, pastor.

10.45 a. m.—Preaching; sermon, "Eternity in the Heart."

12 m.—Sunday school.

7.00 p. m.—Preaching; sermon by the pastor.

The Epworth League meeting will be omitted this week.

**Second Methodist Episcopal Church**

Sunday, January 10, Allison J Hayes pastor.

10 a. m.—Sunday school; class for all ages. The entire school has now the graded Sunday school lessons. Adult Bible class is taught by Rev. A. J. Hayes.

11.00 a. m.—Preaching; sermon, Enoch's Piety and Reward."

5.00 p. m.—Vesper service; sermon, "The Demonic of Gandara."

6.00 p. m.—Epworth League. A special Epworth Herald Day will be observed in which the League's temperature will be taken. This will prove an interesting time as a special program is prepared. Miss Eva Lambert will be leader.

**Second Christian Church**

Sunday, January 10, Rev. C. J. Yeomans, pastor.

10.30 a. m.—Preaching; sermon by the pastor.

11.50 a. m.—Sunday school, Dorcas and Philathea classes. All Baracas are urged to be present as business of importance will be discussed.

6.00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.

7.00 p. m.—Preaching; sermon, "Is There a Devil?" The mandolin club will render several selections at this service. There will also be a duet by Mrs. Austin Clark and Mrs. Curry, and solos by Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Albert L. Sprague.

All are cordially invited to attend this service.

Beginning on Monday, Charles H. Pratt will run an express between Kittery and Portsmouth.

Mrs. Joseph Lutts of the Rogers road is quite ill.

Mrs. Lydia Berry was the guest of Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham of Woodlawn avenue on Friday evening.

Miss Virginia Mabry is passing the week with friends in Waltham, Mass.

Mrs. C. J. Yeomans and Mrs. Willard Locke, assisted by Mrs. F. M. Smith entertained their Sunday school classes of boys on Friday evening in the vestry of the Second Christian church. Various games were played and other forms of amusement indulged in. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served at the close.

Master Paul Cournoyer is confined to his home on Manson avenue with an attack of the mumps.

Carpenter Frank M. Smith has returned from Bath, Me., where he has been on business for the government.

Tuesday evening at 6.30 the Boy Scouts will meet in the vestry of the M. E. church. All boys are invited to come if they desire to be Scouts.

At the prayer meeting on Tuesday evening, Rev. A. J. Hayes will give the fifth address on the Apostle's Creed. The Fifth Article, "He descended into Hell; the third day He arose again from the dead," will be discussed.

Mr. R. F. Moore of Oak Bank has returned from a ten day's stay in Boston where he has been attending the convention of Master Painters and Decorators, of which he is a member.

Mrs. Lavina Dixon of Pleasant street still remains about the same.

Mr. Ralph Haley, the popular rural mail carrier is confined to his home at North Kittery with a severe cold. Mr. Lewis is acting as substitute.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Asa Wilson will be held from her home at Kittery Point on Sunday afternoon, at two o'clock.

Mrs. Selina B. Simpson of Portsmouth is visiting Mrs. H. B Shaw and family of Central street.

Mr. Earle Chick of the Junction resumed his duties at the office of the roadmaster Boston and Maine railroad, this morning after being confined to his home the past few days on account of illness.

Mrs. H. B. Shaw of Central street was a visitor at Kittery Point on Friday.

Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham of Woodlawn avenue is able to be out after being confined to his home by illness.

Mr. David Cheney of South Berwick was a visitor in town on Friday evening.

Miss Arville Shaw and Mrs. S. P. Simpson were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. K. Anjazeen of Dover on Friday.

Mrs. Edward Mayo of Government street was recently called to Somersworth, N. H., to attend the funeral of a relative.

Messrs. Ernest Wood and Fabyan Drake of Eliot, were visitors in town Friday evening.

Mr. Fred J. Huffman of Kittery Point was the guest of friends in this part of the town on Friday evening.

### NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Morning worship at 7.30 o'clock, led by the pastor, Rev. Emery Fairbanks, a college friend of the pastor, from India, will speak.

Evening service at 7.30. A study of Buddhism in relation to Christianity, illustrated by the stereopticon.

Sunday school in the chapel at the noon hour.

Young People's meeting at 6.45 p. m., addressed by Mr. Fairbanks.

John Langdon Club meets on Monday evening; Secretary H. A. Atkinson will be the speaker.

The second parish reception for this season will be held in the chapel and parish house on Wednesday evening, from 7.30 to 10.00 o'clock.

Week-night service on Friday at 7.45 o'clock.

# KITTERY POINT

## Items of Interest from the Harbor Town.

From a list of recent contributions to the Belgian Fund, published in a Boston paper on Thursday, the following suggestive items are culled: "Federation of churches in town of——, four dollars; Sunday School of Congregational church, Kittery Point, Me., twenty-eight dollars." Comment seems superfluous.

Mrs. Clarence Drew and daughter Dorothea, passed Thursday with relatives in Portsmouth.

Irving Nutter entertained several of his friends on Thursday evening, the occasion being the anniversary of his birth.

George Blaisdell of York was a visitor in town on Friday.

The funeral of Mrs. Asa Wilson will be held from her late residence on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

Sailed—

Schooner B. B. Hardwick, British, Plympton, N. S., for Boston.

Schooner Lillian, Gloucester for Portland.

Schooner Margaret, Boston for Castine, Me.

A load of stove coal for the A. S. R. R. arrived on Friday.

Mrs. Henry Shaw of Kittery visited relatives in town on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Blaisdell are entertaining Mrs. Oren Gay of Alton Bay, N. H.

Mrs. Charles Tobey and son Kenneth passed Friday in York.

Mrs. Waldo Hanscom of Kittery, passed Friday with her daughter, Mrs Frank Frisbee.

Curtis Chapp of Boston was a visitor in town on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wentworth Seawards will pass the remainder of the winter with relatives in Boston.

Mrs. Frank Locke of Kittery visited her mother, Mrs. Judson G. Irish on Friday.

Mrs. Augusta Spinney of Haverhill, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Blaisdell.

Alfred Tobey, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Tobey celebrated his 12th birthday on Friday afternoon by entertaining a number of his young friends. After a merry hour of games and music was enjoyed, after which interest centered on the prettily decorated dining room where sandwiches, fancy cake, ice cream, candy and birth day cake were served.

Services at the Free Baptist church on Sunday, January 10: At 12, Sunday school, William Amee, superintendent. At 2 p. m. sermon by Rev. E. P. Moulton of Portsmouth. Evening service at 7.30.

Services at the First Christian church on Sunday, January 10: At 11.30 Junior Christian Endeavor. Sermon will be omitted on account of Mrs. Wilson's funeral. 6.15, Intermediate Christian Endeavor. Evening service at 7.

### FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of Mrs. Susan E. Wilson will be held from her late home at Kittery Point Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.


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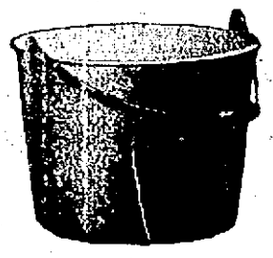

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# TURKS BLAME GERMANS FOR THEIR BEING AT WAR

## Russians Have Taken Half of Army Prisoners and Anti War Riots Expected--French Still Slowly Forcing Their Lines Ahead

Paris, Jan. 8—Optimistic claims of further successes against the Germans at nearly every point of the battle line were made in official circles today. Gains of territory were claimed at certain points, while in no instance, it was declared, have Germans been able to institute a serious offensive. Fighting has been also renewed all along the line to the north and near St. Georges and Lombaertyde the allied lines have again been advanced.

Regarding the German claims of successes in the neighborhood of Arras, the explanation is made that the French themselves voluntarily abandoned a line of trenches. The reason assigned is that the troops actually were forced out by the deep mud, which almost filled the fighting ditches.

The stretch of highway from La Boissele to Avelny is now held by the French, who have mounted artillery here and in the woods in the vicinity.

According to the official reports, the artillery duel in the valley of the Aisne continues, but with the French gradually gaining. The German mine throwers, which have been causing heavy damage to the French, have been silenced by the French three-inch guns.

West of Rheims a German blockhouse has been demolished. There has been some fighting at a number of points along the Meuse, but the damage has been small. Some French trenches in the Argonne region have been blown up by the Germans, but it is claimed they have failed to maintain their advantage. The fighting in Alsace continues with little change.

The war office today confirmed the report that two Turkish transports have been lost and the old Turkish cruiser Medjideh damaged by Russian warships for the fifth time since the war broke out. One of the transports was sunk last Saturday and the other on Tuesday. It was on the latter date that the Medjideh was damaged, but escaped after an exchange of shots with the Russian cruisers.

The French attempts to retake the fortified positions of St. Mihiel and thus remove the German wedge extending into their right wing along the Meuse have resulted in serious fighting in that vicinity. It was stated today that as a result of a series of night attacks a line of outer trenches had been taken from the Germans. The new position gives the French an admirable site for their artillery, and they have brought up additional heavy guns in order to compete with those mounted by the Germans on the site of Camp de Romans.

Advices received here from Dutch sources indicate that the Germans are again moving re-enforcements to the west. These are drawn for the most part from the volunteer army, which has completed its period of training, and it is believed here that they will be used to bring the units on the fighting front up to full war strength. The Germans have drawn on their main army for first line troops to aid von Hindenburg, and now that the French and British are throwing fresh troops into the field they find themselves forced to strengthen their units in order to cope with them.

### Russians in East Prussian Drive Take German Positions

Petrograd, Jan. 8—The Russian army moving from the north against the East Prussian front was reported today to have pushed through the German outer line of trenches and to be slowly gaining ground, although the weather conditions continue greatly to interfere with speedy movements. This, however, is the only point on the whole battle front where there has been any change in the situation.

In southern Poland, in the river campaign; in Galicia, and in the Carpathians the troops have found themselves unable to make headway because of the terrible weather conditions. In the Caucasus the Russian pursuit of the fleeing Turks has been halted owing to the intense cold, although the Cossacks are still rounding up isolated parties.

The war office says the number of Turkish prisoners taken by the army of the Caucasus will exceed 50,000. Included in the number are several generals and hundreds of officers of high rank.

The older Turkish officers frankly blame the Germans for their plight. They declare that despite all protestations by the Turkish officers the Germans in Constantinople forced the war office to order the invasion. It is believed here that when the news of the crushing disaster to the Turkish army reaches Constantinople anti-war demonstrations will result.

Hundreds of those wounded in the recent fighting froze to death in the wooded, mountainous region in which the fighting took place. The army was so busy making its victory complete that there was no time to succor the injured. The death list will be very high.

### Servian Victory Near Belgrade Reported.

Paris, Jan. 8—Fighting has been resumed on the Servian front, according to an official communication issued at Nish, Servia, and forwarded to the Havas agency here. The fighting in which the Servians were victors, according to the statement, occurred near Belgrade. The communication follows:

Strong forces of the enemy occupied the small island of Ada Tzigila, near Belgrade, on Jan. 3. Small detachments of our troops surprised and routed the Austrians during the night of Jan. 4, capturing 45 soldiers, a sergeant-major and two sergeants. Our loss was insignificant.

Beyond this engagement there is nothing to report on any of the fronts.

### Steam up on Engines for Flight of Turk Government.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Jan. 8—Dispatches reaching here from Constantinople describe the situation in the Turkish capital as increasingly alarming.

The local authorities appear to apprehend not only attacks from the outside, but internal disorders as well. The archives of the state have been packed up ready for removal from the city, and many of them already have been sent away. Preparations have been completed also for the removal of the treasury, and locomotives are kept constantly under steam in the railroad yards of Stamboul to meet the possible necessity of conveying the officials of the government to a place of safety at short notice.

Preparations have been made at Adrianople for the quartering of the state officials should eventualities cause the Porte to decide to quit the present capital.


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# WHY GOD'S WRATH UPON THE NATIONS?

## Outgrowth of Wrong Doing Upon Earth.

Justice of the Day of Vengeance. "Render Unto Her Double"—"The Controversy of Zion"—The Year of the Redeemed—Balancing the Books. Preparing For the New Dispensation.

PASTOR RUSSELL

Jan. 8.—Pastor Russell's discourse inquired into the reason why in God's providence the world is ushering into "a Time of Trouble such as was not since there was a nation." (Daniel 12:1.) His text was, "The nations were angry, and Thy wrath is come."—Revelation 11:18.

After introductory remarks upon his text, the speaker read Isaiah 34:1-8; Jeremiah 25:15, 16, 27-38; Isaiah 60:15, 16; Luke 21:24-26; Revelation 6:9-11; 2 Thessalonians 1:3-10. Their united testimony, he claimed, referred to the present time—mistranslated the end of the world; properly interpreted, the end of the Age, inaugurating the New Age—"the world to come." God's people Israel typified Spiritual Israel. All others were called the nations, the people, Gentiles, and were outside covenant relationship with God. If we recognize saintly people of all denominations as the true Church, and all others as Gentiles, we shall get into alignment with the Divine mind. From this viewpoint alone can Biblical prophecies be understood.

The Divine rod is to be expected upon the so-called Christian kingdoms—nominal Christians. Responsibility and punishment will be proportionate to failure to live up to knowledge possessed. God's wrath and the coming judgments are wholly different from the credal legends respecting eternal torture for all except the Elect.

Elsewhere God shows us that the troubles of the Day of Wrath are the outgrowth of human wrong-doing, and that these dire penalties for sin would have wrecked our social and religious fabric long ago, had He not held back the storm of human passion until the end of this Age. Just so soon as that storm shall have taught humanity needed lessons and liquidated long-standing accounts, Messiah's Kingdom, with a clean slate, will be inaugurated.

### "The Recompenses of Zion."

We have reached the end of the world—end of this Age, the Pastor declared. Then he explained that, although God has provided, through Jesus' sacrifice, for absolute forgiveness of all sins and frailties traceable to original sin, and that certain wilful sins have been more or less punished during the lives of the sinners, nevertheless this will not be a full settlement for sin. Persecution of the Body of Christ is a crime against God; and a Divine curse has rested upon their persecutors, whose responsibility has been proportionate to knowledge.

The great trouble closing the Jewish Age was retribution for unsettled claims of Justice (Luke 11:50, 51). The generation then living had far greater responsibility than had those preceding them. They had a great *Light*, shining from Jesus and the early saints.

The Bible intimates that similar aggregations of punishments are due in the end of this Gospel Age. As Jesus foretold, the Kingdom class have suffered violence, while outwardly the *violent* have posed as the True Church. The Time of Trouble now beginning will be the squaring of God's accounts.

According to Scripture, the closing of this Gospel Age will witness the martyrdom of the last members of the Body of Christ. In our day a more refined process of persecution obtains. Some are *gibbeted* by the pulpit; some are *roasted* in the press; some have their tongues cut out in that their words are misrepresented, and they are denied a hearing. Yet the Bible seems to imply a destruction also.

Babylon—what is known as "the Christian world"—will be punished for these crimes against God's saints. "Christendom" of today corresponds exactly to the Jewry of Jesus' day. Misnaming itself "Christ's Kingdom," it is intent upon the preservation of the great Babylon which it has constructed, willing to do anything to avoid the destruction foretold.

### Hypocrisy the Greatest of All Sins.

Time was when men really thought that kings ruled as part of Christ's Kingdom, that human destiny was in the hands of the clergy, that the nonelect were doomed to eternal torture. But that day has passed. No longer deceived, the clergy know that Sheol and Hades represent the death state, and not fire or torture in any sense. They see God's character clearly; they perceive that the kingdoms of this world are merely political institutions. Nevertheless, the Divine character is still blasphemed; God is still misrepresented to the people.

Two hundred thousand professed ministers of Christ stand before the world today, telling legends of the Dark Ages and hindering people from a knowledge of the Truth. Does not such hypocrisy, such blasphemy against God, such deception of the people, deserve great punishment, and is it not nigh—even at the door?

NEIL O'BRIEN

# WAS AN OFFICER IN GERMAN ARMY

Baron A. von Rieges of Germany, a member of the household of the Von Riegers of Berlin, and counted among the first families of the metropolis of Germany, is superintendent of the Decorating Department of the Boston Metal Ceiling and Manufacturing Company, which has just completed the contract of frescoing and decorating the ceiling of the New Vaughan Street Theatre.

In a recent interview with Baron Von Riegers, concerning the war, he stated that

"Five of my brothers answered the call of the Kaiser. Two of them, we have not heard from for some time. They are Max, aged 29, and William, aged 32, who were with the army of the crown prince, battling against Russia on the eastern frontier. We believe that they have either been killed or taken prisoners. I would rather see them dead than see them taken prisoners and sent to Siberia. August was wounded in the battle of St. Quentin. He is 24 years old and has returned to our home in Berlin. My other brothers, Julius and Frank, are with the army of Gen. Von Gluck, fighting in France.

"You may say without fear of contradiction that the census reports of the population of Germany have been falsified for the last 15 years, and that the Kaiser has 15,000,000 of men ready for war service, of these 8,000,000 are on the field of battle and the other 7,000,000 are ready to go to the front when needed. I have been kept posted on the movements at home and know that these facts are unquestionably correct."

The Baron closed the interview with The Chronicle representative with the remark "The Germans will never be defeated unless the Allies succeed in cutting off the pipe-line running from the breweries to the fields of battle."

Baron Von Riegers is eligible for service in the army of the Kaiser, but he is not going back. He has lived in this country fifteen years and is married. Titles are the least of his worries and he carries them modestly. He wasn't always a professional painter, although from birth an artist by nature. That he was born to the manor is evident, for even in the

Washington, Jan. 8—Speculation and the European war are "boosting" the price of wheat on the Chicago Board of Trade, Representative Rainey of Illinois declared today.

"Wheat always goes up where there is war, either in Europe or nearer home, but speculators discussing the foreign demands on the exchange are helping to increase the price," he said.

"Those who want the cost of wheat to go up are using every possible means to bring it about

"For three years the price of wheat will be more than a dollar a bushel, because of the action of the Canadian government in buying all wheat in the Canadian northwest, at $1 a bushel for the next three years in the town means that the price will be $1 a bushel for the next three years in the town where the wheat is threshed.

The high price of wheat is all due to the war. I don't think manipulation of the exchange has anything to do with it said Representative Madden of Chicago. This war is proving a great help to the farmer.

### No Need of Flour Famine, Says Pillsbury.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 8—Because wheat and flour prices have advanced considerably since the outbreak of the war is no reason for believing that there will be either a wheat or flour famine, said J. S. Pillsbury today.

"There seems to be an ample reserve in the country to care for every domestic and export demand. As to what future flour prices may be, that is a thing so problematical that I would not even venture a guess. Flour prices are governed absolutely by wheat prices. Flour will increase or decrease in price five cents for every cent one way or the other the wheat market moves. With the market so erratic I would not attempt to predict the price of flour 24 hours in advance.

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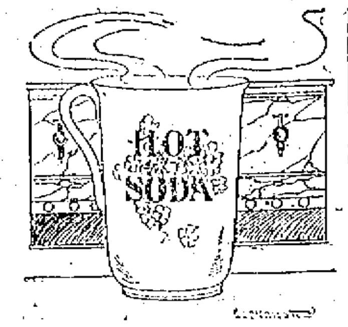


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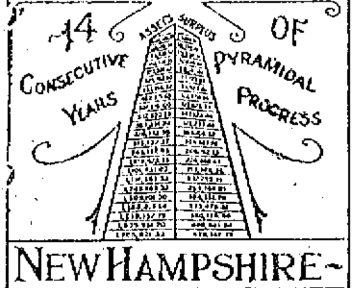


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grime of various colored paints, which covers his hands and spatters his face, the carriage, which years as an officer in the German army made a part of his very being, is not disguised.

He was an officer in the German army until about 15 years ago. Then he got into a dispute with one of his brother officers and a duel resulted. Incidentally he got "pinked" over one eye and still carries the scar. While he came off victorious, he made a great mistake in fighting with a superior officer, which cost him his commission.

It was then that he turned to his natural artistic talent as a means of livelihood. Obtaining a billet from a German newspaper to go to the Boer war as a sketch artist, he left for the scene of operations in Africa. Once there, however, he dropped the pencil and crayon for the more strenuous implements of war and joined the Boer army. He met with various experiences, being wounded at Spion Kop and finally being taken a prisoner. At the close of the war he was released and went as an interpreter with a French exploration party into the interior of Africa, incidentally covering the same ground later traversed by Theodore Roosevelt.

After this trip he came to America with the usual expectation of the immigrant, that of picking up money in the streets. He was quickly changed, however, and turned once more to his natural talent as a means to earn a living and since has followed his calling as a decorator. In this pursuit he has painted some of the most notable frescoes in New England theatres, church and other buildings. Among the churches he painted in the memorial church in Fairhaven, given to that place by the late Henry H. Rogers of Standard Oil fame.

# SUNDAY SERVICES

### Advent Christian Church

Irving F. Barnes pastor.

Social service at 9.30 a. m.

Preaching at 10.30 by the Capt. W. P. Israel of this city.

Sunday School at 12.00 m.

J. L. W. or Childrens meeting at 6.00 p. m.

Evangelistic service at 7.15 p. m. with special singing by the choir and male chorus.

Loyal Workers annual business meeting for the election of officers will be held at the church Monday evening Jan. 11, at 7.30 p. m.

Loyal Workers prayer meeting Tuesday evening and prayer meeting Friday evening. Both of these services at 7.30 and all are welcome.

### I. B. S. A.

"The First and the Last Convention of the Church of Christ," will be under discussion at G. A. R. hall Sunday, Jan. 10, at 3 p. m. under the auspices of the Associated Bible Students. All welcome. No collection.

### Universalist Church

Rev. Luther Weston Atwood minister.

Morning worship 10.30.

Sermon, subject "The Church."

Sunday School 12m.

Y P C U 6.30 p. m.

Subject, "What is Happening in the field of: Religions. Science, Politics, Social Service, Industry, Music, Art"

Tuesday, Junior Y P C U at 4 p.m. Subject, "A Visit With our Greek Cousins."

Wednesday, Quarterly meeting of the Y P C U 7.30 p. m.

Thursday Mother's Club meeting 3.30 p. m. Paper by Mrs. Freeman R. Garrett.

### Pearl Street Free Baptist Church

Rev. Edwin P. Moulton pastor.

10.30 Preaching by the pastor.

11.45 Bible School.

7.30 Gospel Service.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet in the vestry Wednesday afternoon with the usual supper

Mid week meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

### Unitarian Church

Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. Alfred Gooding.

Sunday school at chapel on Court street at noon.

The choir will render the following musical numbers:

God be Merciful .............. Buck
Sun of My Soul ......... Schnecker
Fear Not O Lord ........... Sulcher

### People's Baptist Church

Rev. John L. Davis minister.

11 a. m. Sermon by pastor. Subject "The Stars in their courses fought against Sisera."

12 noon. Sunday school in charge of Supt. H. B. Burton.

7.15 p. m. Christian Endeavor.

8 p. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject, "That Friend of Mine," being the last in the series of sermons on the relation of the church to the home.

### First Methodist Episcopal Church Miller Avenue

Rev. F. J. Scott pastor.

Strangers and visitors will be welcomed at all services.

9.45 Junior League Service.

10.00 Early morning prayer meeting in the Study.

10.30 Morning Worship. Preaching by the pastor. Subject "Inviting the Wanderer."

12.00 Sunday School. Classes for all ages.

6.30 The Epworth League Happy Hour. James H. Smith leads the meeting. Subject, Good News, New News, Old News, True News. Special music.

7.30 Joyous Sunday evening service. The pastor will preach on the subject, "The Only Name."

Friday evening at 7.30 the regular church prayer and praise service.

The Women's Missionary Societies meet together Wednesday afternoon and evening in the vestry. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock. Papers and discussion in the afternoon on the welfare of the Indian in this country. All are invited.

### Court Street Christian Church

Rev. Percy Warren Caswell pastor.

Morning worship with sermon by the pastor at 10.30. Subject "Hindrances to Prayer."

Bible School session at 11.45 o'clock

Onward Class meets at same hour.

Praise and social service at 7.30. The pastor will deliver the first sermon in a series of five on, "The Christianity that is needed today." Subject Sunday evening "Christianity to the Poor."

Monthly meeting of the Four Leaf Clover Society Tuesday evening at 7.30. Business of importance to be considered and a social evening. A large attendance of members is desired.

Mid week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7.30. Annual church business meeting will be held at the close of the prayer meeting.

Monthly supper and meeting of the Benevolent Society Thursday. The ladies are requested to meet in the afternoon to sew.

Junior Christian Endeavor Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

### Middle Street Baptist Church

Morning service at 10.30. The pastor speaks upon "What is Your Plan"?

Anthems by quartette.

Sunday School at noon in the chapel

Men's Class at noon in the Annex. New lessons. Hearty singing. Discussion. Men invited.

Junior Y P S C E at 3 in the Guild room. Boys and girls invited.

Evening service at 7.30. Praise service led by chorus. Hymns we used to sing.

Quartette. The pastor begins a series of sermons upon Life's Real Needs as told by Christ. A cordial welcome to all.

Monday 7.30 King's Daughters in the chapel.

Tuesday 3.30 Walker Mission Band.

Tuesday 7.45 Y P S C E in the Guild room.

Wednesday 3.00 p. m. Woman's Missionary Society in the parlor. 6.15 p. m. Supper is served. 7.30 p. m. Miss Ina Verrill for some years a missionary in Asiatic Turkey will speak. Present happening make this address timely.

Friday 7.45 p. m. Prayer meeting in the chapel. A series of topics "Christ as seen by John," will be begun. Little gospels given out. All are welcome.

### Christ Church—The Peace Church

First Sunday after Epiphany.

Services: Holy Eucharist 7.30 a.m. Holy Eucharist and Sermon 10.30 a. m. Sunday School and Bible classes 12 m. Evensong and Sermon 7.15 p. m. Greek Orthodox Vespers at 8 p. m., sung by Rev. Fr. Constantino Hermandas.

The Rector will preach the sermon at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

A Greek Priest will be present and sing Greek Orthodox Vespers at 8 p. m.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew Chapter meeting on Monday evening.

Woman's Auxiliary on Tuesday afternoon.

Junior Auxiliary on Tuesday evening.

Mother's meeting on Wednesday evening.

Altar Guild meeting on Thursday evening.

Boys' Club on Thursday evening.

Choir Rehearsal Friday evening.

Services: Litany and Intercessions on Monday 7.30 p. m. Holy Eucharist Tuesday, 7.30 a. m. Service and Lecture on Thursday 7.30 p. m. Holy Eucharist on Friday 7.30 a. m.

Music at 10.30 a. m.

Processional, As With Gladness

Introit, All they from Sheba shall come. The music of the Mass will be by Gounod.

Offertory, Christ for the world, we sing.

Processional, Angels from the realm of glory.

Music at 7.30 p. m.

Processional, As with Gladness.

Antiphon, All they from Sheba shall come

Magnificat ................ Hervey

Hymn, Angels from the realm of glory.

Processional, Brightest and Best.

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The death of Patrick McCabe occurred in the hospital at the Soldiers' Home at Togus Tuesday night. He was born in Ireland 74 years ago and had resided in this country many years. He enlisted in the navy at Portsmouth, May 15, 1861, and was discharged 20, 1864. He was admitted to the Home from South Berwick, February 2, 1910. In his early life he was a shoemaker.

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The first few sales were made only fractionally below yesterday's closing price, but there seemed to be no demand for the stock and it was soon quoted at 25, at which price about 100 shares changed hands. This is a new low record for all time. The formed low level was at 25 1-2 made on Wednesday of this week.

Shortly before noon further liquidation was in evidence, and the sale of a few shares was sufficient to cause a further decline to 24 3-4, a loss of 3 1-2 points as compared with last night's final quotation.

### ORDINARY ALMANAC DIMENSIONS OUTGROWN

If there is anything new under the sun, the chances are that it is in The World Almanac. This is a sweeping statement. For its justification, one may point with much pride to the files of this most regular of annals. For particular and current instances, reference is recommended to the issue for 1915, now just at hand.

As one reads this book, the time seems very far removed, indeed, when a almanac was merely a booklet or calendar pages, with wise remarks about the sun, the moon, a few planets, the tides, and the best time for planting various kinds of seeds. Here set forth, besides election and census returns, sporting records, industrial and financial reports, a New York City Gazetteer, and the countless formal informatory departments, to which the years have accustomed readers of The World Almanac, are a review of the war in Europe; notes on the wars of the world; the political state platforms of 1914; details of the special or emergency tax; analysis of the prison population; factory statistics; workmen's compensations laws; occupations in the United States; the Federal Reserve Act; the Federal Trade Commission; statistics of foreign born population in the United States; a description of the Mexican situation; facts about the Chinese Republic; a paper on the aeroplane and aviation generally in war, and many other things to receive even a reviewer's bare attention.

Of course this book has more than a thousand pages. It outgrew ordinary almanac dimensions long ago. It will carry its own "Happy New Year" welcome to librarians, students, professors, statesmen, editors and readers in general all over the land.

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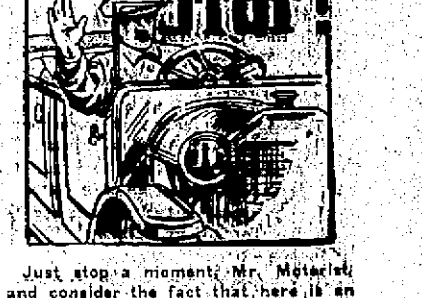


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## Great Problems Melting in the Crucible of War.

By Rev. Philip S. Moxom, D. D.

As we contemplate the present world-condition, what facts and truths appear which shall make us less forlorn, which may even quicken in our hearts hope and that appreciation of actual and enduring good which is the essence of true thankfulness?

First, the good that is in the world is positive and is not obliterated by the colossal that seems to fill the entire human arena. Truth and virtue and love have not perished from the earth. There are still large areas of human happiness. The purifying springs of compassion and the uplifting impulses of benevolence are found even in the fields where war rages. The capacity of human nature for heroism and self-sacrifice never was greater.

Second, the mingling and co-operation of diverse and hitherto oppugnant races must issue in abatement of race-prejudice. The black man, the brown man and the yellow man have fought beside the white man with equal courage and with an ability which has wiped out the fictitious reproach of essential inferiority. The real hero recognizes the hero whatever the color of his skin. In the crucible of war the race problem is melting and henceforth life will flow into larger and fairer molds.

Third, the autocracies which have usurped government as their right will receive their death-stroke. Kings and chancellories and oligarchies have caused most of the wars of the world. At last the people's voice will be heard. The spell of absolutism will be broken and the divine right of the peoples will supplant the false divine right of kings. Out of the tempest will rise a new democracy and freedom will widen its field.

As one surveys the long course of human history he discerns the truth that God brings out of evil. Out of the gigantic evil of the present war ultimately will come proportionate good. This is a divine philosophy of history, incredible to unspiritual minds, some part of which has been caught by the seers and poets. Human life is not a huge blunder, a chaos of struggling forces working in no large constructive way to an end worthy of God. Good is permanent. Evil is transitory, often serving a far-reaching purpose, a part of which is evil's own abolition. There is no absolute loss, though there may be temporary loss and for a time retrogression, but

"There shall never be one lost good!"

Faith in God involves a grasp of the whole problem of God and confidence that he is equal to it. Trust in the moral forces is that girding of power which makes the soul steadfast and unconquerable. Springfield, Mass.

## LOCAL DASHES

Skating is very good in this vicinity.

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18 lbs. slack salted pollock for $1; 100 lbs. for $5, at Clark's Branch, Tel. 133.

The electric sign on the New Theatre was turned on for the first time on Friday evening.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson and Sons. Tel. 245.

The Salvation Army will hold a Rummage Sale for one day only, Monday, January 11th, at 8.30 a. m.

On Monday there will be two vaudeville acts at Music Hall, coming direct from Keith's Theatre in Boston. Don't miss them.

The Herald carried the most important news on Friday evening as usual, when it printed the story about the new shoe shop.

Skates sharpened, scissors, knives, and all edge tools sharpened; saws filed, umbrellas mended, keys made, locks repaired, and razors honed and rehandled at Horne's, 32 Daniel street

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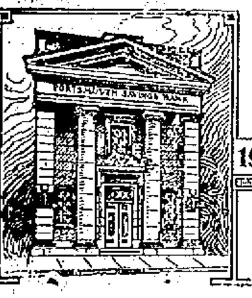


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## MANCHESTER BOYS HELD AT NEWTON

Boston, Jan. 9—Sidney Groux aged 17, and Edward Boyer 18, both of Manchester, N. H., were found by the Newton police in that city early this morning. Tht boys sai dthat they were on their way to the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Boyer, who was carrying a loaded revolver, told the police that it was for protection against bad men and Indians, that hey expected to meet on their journey.

In court this morning Groux was held as a runaway and Boyer held for carrying firearms.

## PERSONALS

Mr. Allan H. Robinson, stenographer in the Public Works Department at the navy yard, is on a business trip to Boston.

Miss Jean Hamilton left this morning for Athol, Mass., after being entertained by Miss Martha S. Kimball of South street.

Mr. Thomas Armstrong of Trenholm, Quebec, who has been visiting his nephew, Dr. Eugene B. Eastman of this city, has left for a trip to California.

Mrs Jeremiah J. Goodwin of Broad street is reported as resting a little more comfortable and her condition is gradually improving, which will be gratifying news to her many friends.

Mrs. Charles Foote has returned from a two months' visit spent with her sisters, Mrs. Natt Burleigh of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. John Kostanzer of Crawfordsville, Ind. Another sister, Mrs. C. A. P. Brown of Pearce, Ariz., was also visiting at Mrs Kostanzer's. The four sisters spent Christmas together for the first time in 12 years.

### SOME JOY RIDE.

### Sailors and Girls Banquet and Dance at Hampton.

When it comes to joy riding, some of the crew of the U. S. S. Washington are not behind. On Friday night the Jackies, with a party of friends numbering 75, made a trip in three large hayracks to Cutler's Hotel, Hampton, where they enjoyed a banquet and dance. The girls say it was some time at Hampton and some time before they reached home this morning.

The affair was well managed by the committee from the ship and it is said to have cost each Jackie $3. They had planned to make it in sleighs but the weather man prevented.

### LOCAL DASHES

What will the ground hog do to us this year?

Don't forget where you put your snow shovel.

Tomorrow should be a good day for that long walk.

Mrs. C. H. Foote of Portsmouth, N. H.,; Mrs. C. A. P. Brown and son Paul, of Pearce, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Natt Burleigh and son Porter of Chicago, and the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kostanzer. Mr. and Mrs. Kostanzer entertained their guests Christmas afternoon by taking them on a bob-sled ride—Crawfordsville, Ind., Journal.

## MIDDLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH FINANCES GOOD

### Hold Annual Meeting and Elect New Officers.

The annual business meeting of the Middle street Baptist church was held in the chapel on Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock with a good attendance. The reports from the various affiliated organizations of the church were presented by their respective secretaries and were of a very encouraging nature. The following officers to serve the ensuing year were elected:

Clerk—Mr. Lewis E. Staples.

Deacons—W. H. Lovell, Frank C. Remick.

Visiting Committee—Mrs. Eva Hardy, Mrs. Albert E. Rand.

Standing Committee—H. A. Yeaton, Harry W. Wendell, Mrs. H. A. Yeaton, Mrs. C. A. Wendell, Mrs. J. W. Shannon., Mrs W. O. Sides, Miss Nellie Sides.

The standing committee will serve with the deacons.

During the meeting, an appropriate letter of congratulation, accompanied by fifty beautiful roses were sent to Deacon and Mrs. Albert A. Sheafe, because they quietly observed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage during the week, and the church recognized the occasion in this way.

A message of good cheer was also sent to Deacon W. H. Lovell, who regretted that he could not be present, on account of illness.

The various activities of the church showed substantial amounts and also showed that a great deal of money had been dispensed among several worthy causes.

At this enthusiastic assembly it was apparent that the various activities of the church are in good financial standing, each having substantial amounts in their treasury, and that a great deal of charity work and money had been dispersed for worthy causes during the year.

## NORTH CHURCH IN ANNUAL MEETING

### Reports of the Several Committees Accepted and Officers Elected.

The annual church meeting of the North church was held on Friday evening in the chapel at 7.30 and the reports of the twelve societies of the church were read and accepted. All the reports were of a very encouraging nature and the church stands on a most successful financial, social, and benevolent basis. The following officers were elected:

Deacon for four years—John S. Rand.

Elected deacon to fill a vacancy—William E. Maddock.

Sunday School Superintendent — Frank E. Leavitt.

Asst. Sunday School Superintendent—Walter H. James.

Secretary and Treasurer Sunday School—Lawrence Wright.

Librarians—Mrs. W. H. James, Miss Florence Hersey.

Women members of church committee—Miss Grace Brown, Mrs. Andrew Sherburne.

Delegates to meeting of Bennett fund directors—John M. McPhee.

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"The Futility of Revenge"—Imp, two reels.

A fine melodrama, featuring Dorothy Phillips, in the dual role of mother and daughter.

"Mutual Weekly.

Showing the latest pictures from the seat of war and many other interesting current events.

"Hogan's Annual Spree"—Keystone

Songs by Miss Helen Tarr.

Special Saturday Matinee: A prize to the Boy and Girl under 12 years old, holding the lucky tickets.

Coming Monday and Tuesday—"Trey of Hearts," 12th episode, two reels; "The Squatter, Eclair, three reels; "Out of the Darkness," American, two reels; "A Colored Girl's Love," Keystone.

## COMMITS SUICIDE WHEN FIRM FAILS

### New York Member of Stock Exchange Firm Takes His Own Life.

New York, Jan. 9—An hour after the announcement of the failure of his firm had been posted on the New York Stock Exchange, G. F. Stringer, Jr., committed suicide in his office at 40 Exchange Place today. The brokerage firm of which Stringer was a member was that of D. F. Stringer and Co., the senior partner being the father of the man who cimmitted suicide.

Stringer shot himself through the mouth.

## THE HERALD HEARS

That the thermometer reached 68 in the shade in this city on Thursday.

That the orchestras of this city could make a hit by following up-to-date musicians and give the public a little singing on the side.

That the singing orchestras are getting the call everywhere.

That the freak calls for the chemical engine should be checked.

That Music Hall will be packed to the doors to witness the performance of Neil O'Brien the funniest man in blackface work on the American stage.

That the local branch of the Master, Mates and Pilots Association appear to be busy doing something all the time.

That the break at the Boston and Maine depot on Friday night was some bold job.

That the Portsmouth Revolver Club have erected a target in the basement of City Hall where they are holding practice shoots.

That the police are also taking a shot at the bullseye.

That the electric signs on the New Theatre are the latest in illumination work and are the product of Portsmouth mechanics.

That a certain young man residing on Pine strett, Kittery is making an improvement on an aeroplane model.

That he is some inventor.

### WENEHASA DEFEATED BY BERWICK ACADEMY

The Wenehasa basketball team played its first game of the season at South Berwick on Friday evening and lost to Berwick Academy by the score of 31 to 24.

The Portsmouth team proved to be a big drawing card, the hall being filled to capacity, because of its last year's championship.

A very good showing was made by the Wenehasa's, considering that it was the first time that they have worked together this year. Coach Cragen, expects inside of two weeks to produce one of the fastest teams ever seen in this city.

The Berwick Academy team is very fast, and numbers among its members same very excellent players. They recently won games from Biddeford High and several other schools.

### POLICE COURT.

James R Price, charged with breaking and entering and larceny of tickets at the Boston and Maine railroad ticket office Friday night, was arraigned in police court this afternoon. He pleaded not guilty and was held for the April term of the superior court under bonds of $700. He failed to secure bail and was sent to jail.

### SATURDAY CANDY SALE

C. W. Bass has just received for his candy department, a barrel of Smooth Jordan almonds, which he will sell today for 39c lb. Also his special 35c chocolates for 29c, as usual.

## ADDRESSES THE CIVIC ASSOCIATION

### Mrs. Montgomery Emphasizes Need of County Social Worker.

At a meeting of the Civic Association, held at the Rockingham on Friday afternoon, Mrs. Alice Montgomery, agent of the New Hampshire Children's Aid and Protective Society, spoke of the work of that Society.

After explaining New Hampshire's great need of an organization of this kind, she took for her text a letter which had recently been sent to her for attention. The letter spoke of a family of several children who had been "moved on" by the authorities from town to town, each town and each official finding no solution of the situation beyond their own town limits. Mrs. Montgomery spoke of the utter failure of the "move on" plan, mentioned the lack of provision made by the state for such cases, deprecated the county unit system, and criticized the institutional care of children which is the policy of the state. She called the attention of her audience to the fact that New Hampshire ranks second of all the states in the Union, New York being first, in the number of its institutions.

Mrs. Montgomery emphasized also the effort put forth on the part of the Society which she represented to prevent the separation of young mothers from their illegitimate children, and of the willingnes son the part of certain unscrupulous physicians to recommend or otherwise assist, places where abortions may be performed. She also made some surprising information for Portsmouth people concerning the Manchester house whose case, through the work of the Society, has just been brought to the grand jury.

Many questions were asked and women were moved to offer money and services. Especial emphasis was laid, in the discussion, upon the need of a county social worker. The local representatives of the N. H. Children's Aid Protective Society are Dr. F. S. Towle, Mrs. L. H. Thayer and Mrs. Mary I. Wood.

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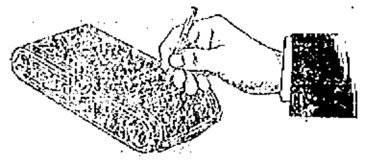

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